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Cricket ball hijack over

NEW DELHI (AP) — Two hijackers armed with a toy pistol and a cricket ball who demanded the release from jail of former prime minister Indira Gandhi surrendered today, freeing 125 passengers and six crew members of an Indian jetliner unharmed.

The hijacking was the most spectacular happening during a day of nationwide protests Wednesday against the jailing of Mrs. Gandhi and her ouster from her seat in Parliament. The United News of India, the Indian news agency, reported 18,000 supporters of Mrs. Gandhi arrested, many voluntarily, and five persons killed.

UNI said police fired into stone-throwing mobs in the southern city of Bangalore, killing four persons. A pro-Gandhi demonstrator was reported fatally stabbed by a government supporter near Cannonore, in Kerala state, on the southwest coast.

The two hijackers, identified as members of the youth wing of Mrs. Gandhi's Indira Congress party, were flown to Lucknow, the capital of Uttar Pradesh state, to appear at a news conference they demanded. They were accompanied by the chief minister of the state, R. N. Yadav, who negotiated their surrender more than 12 hours after they commandeered the Indian Airlines Boeing 737 jet.

Although the government met their demand for a news conference, it did not free Mrs. Gandhi.

"I don't think any government worth its salt would compromise on a crime like this," said Industry Minister George Fernandes.

The pair appeared to be armed with a pistol and a hand grenade when they took over the airliner and demanded the "unconditional release" of the former prime minister, jailed Tuesday by a vote of Parliament, an airline spokesman said. UNI said the men broke open the door of the cockpit soon after takeoff, distributed pro-Gandhi pamphlets to the passengers and shouted "Long live Indira Gandhi!"

They ordered the plane—on a flight from Lucknow to New Delhi—to land at Varanasi, also known as Benares, 608 kilometres southeast of New Delhi. The spokesman said one of 126 passengers escaped through a rear exit soon after the plane landed.

Yadav, the top elected official in Uttar Pradesh state, negotiated with the hijackers by radio from the airport control tower and was in touch with Prime Minister Morarji Desai by telephone.

The two men wanted to speak with Desai, who led the move to have Mrs. Gandhi expelled from her seat in Parliament and jailed, an airline spokesman said.

After the hijackers were surrendered, it was discovered that their pistol was a toy and their grenade a cricket ball.

BENNETT SEES SMOOTH SAILING

Premier Bennett Wednesday said he expected B.C. ferry fares to remain steady in 1979.

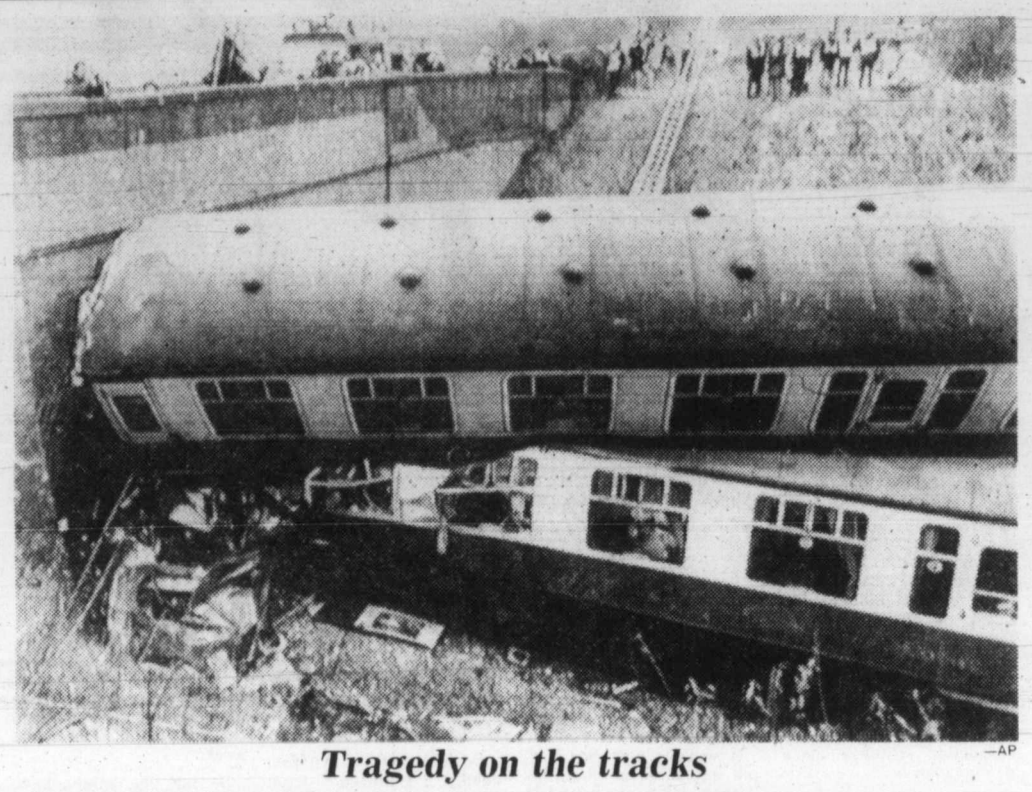
During a year-end interview he was asked if ferry users could look forward to a price increase during the next 12 months.

"The directors won't need an increase," he said. "The very large subsidy they now receive has a cost-price escalator automatic every year. If they manage the system efficiently they have lots of money from the government."

On the future of ICBC, Bennett said the government insurance corporation would continue to hold a monopoly in B.C. He agreed that private companies might again compete with the government firm "some time in the future" but that was not being seriously considered at present.

"Our immediate concern is that ICBC establish the way we can bring equity for all people purchasing insurance," he said. At present there are different rates geared to age, marital status and sex.

"We want to bring equity to those groups," he said. "We never set out to destroy ICBC, just to clean up the mess, make it work."



—AP

Tragedy on the tracks

A living nightmare, one railway coach lies atop another Wednesday following crash at Patcham, near Brighton, England, killing at least three persons and injuring 40. One of the trains was stopped, and officials said other train might have failed to stop due to signal malfunction. In similar crash, a Belfast-Dublin express train slammed into back of a train, killing driver and injuring seven others.

Air fare boosts put off

OTTAWA (CP) — Air fare increases scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1, by the two major airlines and five regional carriers were suspended Wednesday until April 1 by the Canadian transport commission.

Air Canada, CP Air, Transair, Nordair, Pacific Western Airlines, Quebecair and Eastern Provincial Airlines earlier had approval for increases in fares averaging five per cent starting in the new year.

The commission said recent developments, including the suspension of an increase in oil prices and the November budget of Finance Minister Jean Chretien, must be taken into account to determine whether the proposed increases were reasonable and fair.

The Chretien budget made changes in the sales tax and investment tax credits affecting the airlines.

The commission said it wanted to see final operating figures of the airlines for the last few months of this year and their forecasts for next year, taking into account the new developments.

Earlier in the day, the Consumers Association of Canada issued a news release saying the financial picture of the two main carriers showed the increases were not necessary.

The group also said Air Canada and CP Air charged more for domestic mileage than they did for international routes.

London gets the jitters for Christmas

LONDON (CP) — This Christmas season, London is a city with the jitters.

In addition to contending with the usual seasonal upsurge in crime, Scotland Yard has drafted an extra 2,000 uniformed policemen into the West End to prevent bomb attacks on major stores crowded with shoppers.

The police are drawn from all over London and are working a 12-hour day with all leaves cancelled.

"Crime prevention officers throughout London are visiting all stores to discuss preventative security measures with security staff and to advise on evacuation procedures in the event of bomb alerts," a Scotland Yard spokesman said.

The move, code-named Operation Santa, has been prompted not only by the recent wave of bombings in Britain and by an Irish Republican Army threat of further violence, but also by intelligence from security services.

"A large area of central London will be ringed with police briefed to stop suspects entering or leaving the vulnerable areas," a Scotland Yard statement said.

The operation, mainly by uniformed police, will be backed up by armed mobile patrols at night.

Two car-bombs have exploded in London this week without casualties and police are hunting for a third vehicle, believed driven by a terrorist nicknamed Bald Eagle.

Late Tuesday night the

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Terror bombs strike hotels

BELFAST (Reuter) — Irish republican terrorists Wednesday night carried out a bomb blitz on leading Northern Ireland hotels.

Two hotels blazed after the attacks and blasts caused damage at two others. At yet another two hotels, British army bomb disposal squads worked on packages planted there by armed and masked men.

Police said casualties were only four persons slightly wounded and a fireman injured but they warned hotel managers that more blasts can be expected.

The police, who said more hotel bombings could be expected, blamed the attacks on the militant Provisional wing of the IRA, which launched bomb attacks earlier in the week in London and other British cities.

Farms outlook: A race for food

B.C. has enough agricultural land to be completely self-sufficient if all such land were brought under cultivation.

But the report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture dealing with land productivity states that by 1996 "this capacity will be eroded by increasing population levels to the extent that within 20 years, barring a dramatic increase in productivity levels, the province will not be able to meet all of its food requirements with home production."

The report, made public Wednesday, is a companion document to an earlier report dealing with unused agricultural land.

Highly technical in nature, the latest report basically states that while B.C. could, if the need arose, produce all the foodstuffs it needs right now, it would need a super effort to bring all land into use and 20 years from now there wouldn't be enough land to satisfy all provincial needs anyway.

"Presently cultivated land, estimated to be 600,000 hectares, (1.8 million acres) currently averages 40 to 45 per cent of the total consumption levels of food crops and livestock products that can be produced in the province," the report states.

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Blanshard blackout

Some Blanshard Court residents settled in for a dark, cold night and motorists crept cautiously through blackened intersections Wednesday as an underground power failure had a checkerboard effect on a three-block midtown area.

At least two minor traffic accidents were recorded after the traffic lights failed at 4:15 p.m. at Blanshard and Hillside, Blanshard and Bay, and Bay and Government.

They were still out nearly eight hours later at Hillside and Blanshard. Two special three-man underground crews from B.C. Hydro, guided by three supervisors, combed the intricate network beneath the streets well into the night in search of the main trouble source.

Meanwhile, residents of the northern part of the housing development, which is heated electrically, put aside uncooked dinners, substituted sandwiches and prepared for a chilly night.

"It's getting quite cold, but no complaints," said Shirley Douglyn. "We had a cold supper of sandwiches, but the kids like that better than vegetables, anyway."

Another tenant, Scott Parrish, sat wrapped in a coat waiting for the power to come on "so I can watch the Johnny Carson Show."

—Colonist photo by Alex Barta

Smiles of anticipation

Christmas for almost everyone is a time of anticipation, and for the young most of all. Jason Lee, 20 months, makes a final check of the goodies provided by Santa's helpers in a toy store in Mayfair shopping mall. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lee, 1230 Enid in Central Saanich.

Israeli air raids deplored by U.S.

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WASHINGTON (Reuter) — The United States criticized Israel's air raids against Palestinian targets in Lebanon on Wednesday.

The state department acknowledged the Israeli explanation that the raids were in rataliation for Palestinian guerrilla attacks against Israeli civilians but spokesman Tom Reston said the U.S. deplored both the guerrilla raids and the Israeli retaliation.

"Over the past few months, we have deplored repeatedly terrorist acts inside Israel, the most recent being the bus bombing last Sunday in Jerusalem," he said in a statement.

"Now there is this report of the Israeli bombing raids in Lebanon, which I understand are related by the Israelis to the terrorist incidents inside Israel. We deplore this escalating spiral of violence. It inflicts suffering on innocent victims and it hurts the cause of peace in the Middle East."

BREZHNEV FIRST

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. President Carter hopes to meet Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev around Jan. 15, about two weeks before China's deputy premier comes to Washington, national security adviser Zbigniew Brzezinski said Wednesday.

Brezhnev has consistently made it clear he would attend his first summit with Carter only if a strategic arms limitation agreement was ready for the two leaders to sign.

State Secretary Cyrus Vance planned to continue the S.A.L.T. II talks in Geneva today with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko but there were increasing doubts they would be able to wrap up the complicated negotiations for limiting the nuclear arsenals of the superpowers.

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THE COLONIST'S **500 Fund**

Sharing warm hearts

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Imagine the laughter of a child at the sight of a longed-for toy.

Imagine the tears in a mother's eyes at the child's reaction.

Imagine the restoration of faith in human kindness.

Imagine.

True, it may be difficult to imagine that this city harbors people with such need. But it does. In our midst, there is sorrow, poverty, loneliness.

It's easily recognizable.

You'll see human suffering in the supermarket. While most shoppers are loading up their carts with mountains of groceries, there are always a few elderly persons with an item or two at the bottom of the cart.

They will look at a roast, but put it back when they see the price. They won't even look at turkeys this year.

They've seen better times, but inflation has eroded their once adequate pensions and plowed them under the minimum existence level.

And all the tinsel and advertising for outlandishly expensive presents, all the wild buying sprees won't change the fact that some people are facing a bleak Christmas. Right here in our community.

We can't banish poverty by waving a magic wand, but we can bring a little warmth into the hearts of many by sharing just a little.

For 22 years now, the *Colonist* 500 Fund has helped bring cheer to the most needy families in Victoria. Contributions to this year's fund drive will be accepted until 12 noon today. Donations received after that deadline will be carried over to next year's drive.

As of Tuesday, the fund had passed the $50,000 mark, but the organizers hope to make $60,000 so each recipient would get a cheque for about $120.

Donations may be brought to the *Colonist* office at 2621 Douglas until noon today.

U.S. loses track of its glitter

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. treasury department said Wednesday that 5,200 ounces of gold—valued at $1.1 million—was missing from its New York City assay office, the second time in history the United States has lost track of some its gold stockpile.

The gold probably disappeared between 1973 and 1977, although faulty management and accounting procedures made it impossible to determine exactly when the gold losses began, a treasury spokesman said.

Officials said the only other instance of U.S.-owned gold being lost came in 1955 at the Denver Mint.

That loss involved 1,800 ounces and was traced to an elderly employee who "apparently gave it away, just like Santa Claus," an official said. He was never prosecuted and none of the gold was recovered.

Iran peace effort rejected

TEHRAN, Iran (UPI) — Opposition groups announced Wednesday that they had rejected the shah's attempts to form a government of "national reconciliation" to end the turmoil sweeping Iran.

In the capital, witnesses said troops fired on striking merchants in the old Grand Bazaar on Wednesday, killing three. The army also moved to seal off the holy city of Qom southwest of Tehran in a bid to prevent renewed violence there.

The shah's search for a peaceful way out of the crisis received another setback when opposition parties rejected a proposal for a civilian government of reconciliation.

Tough statement

The National Front, a coalition of five political parties opposed to the shah, issued a toughly-worded statement late Wednesday vowing to oppose any attempt to form a government that "supports the illegal monarchy in Iran."

The statement was issued in response to reports that the shah, encouraged by signs that the latest campaign to unseat him might be losing its momemtum, was considering the formation of a new civilian cabinet to replace the military government he appointed only two months ago.

The shah conferred Sunday with Gholam Hossein Sadighi, an old political foe jailed five times for his opposition activities, and sources close to Sadighi said he had been asked to put together a new civilian government within two weeks.

Warned off

But the National Front later called on Sadighi "not to form this government" and said he could "not expect any support from us."

The first incidence of violence in Tehran in nearly a week broke out in the old bazaar quarter Wednesday and troops moved quickly to contain it.

Witnesses said the trouble started when men whom they charged were Savak secret police agents tried to break up an anti-shah demonstration by striking merchants.

Army troops moved in to disperse the demonstrators with gunfire, killing three of them, the witnesses said.

Troops also sealed off the holy city of Qom 75 miles southwest of Tehran, apparently in an attempt to prevent another outbreak of the bloody demonstrations that occured there last week. Reports from Qom said the troops encircled the city with roadblocks and denied entry to outsiders.

'New faces'

A spokesman for Sadighi said the former interior minister and opposition figure was trying to put together a government of "new faces" drawn from "people who have not served in any government for the past 25 years."

Opposition sources said Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi had also accepted two demands that the 73-year-old Sadighi reportedly made in return for agreeing to head a new government.

Mother urges prison

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — A U.S. judge has granted a mother's request and sentenced her 21-year-old son to 180 days in jail for stealing $1,800 worth of stereo equipment from his brother.

The parties in the case were not identified at the judge's request "because of the unusualness of the case."

Judge Frank Huse said this week he thought about ignoring the mother's request and granting probation.

"But," he said at sentencing, "I learned through records that he violated his probation after getting a suspended sentence on a driving charge."

The mother told the judge she "could not tolerate the kind of life my son is putting me through." She said her son had juvenile arrests for glue-sniffing and intoxication.

The son already has spent 68 days in jail, awaiting trial and sentencing. Although bond was only $100, no one from the family offered to post it.

—CP

S'no bird like a snowbird

Snowbird, Nova Scotia's new symbol of winter recreation, was introduced to the public in Halifax this week. It is flanked by province's goodwill ambassador, Mr. Mayor, and Tourism Minister Roger Bacon. Snowbird is Cheryl Wagner.

A city in fear

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car was spotted by an unarmed policeman who was fired on with a double-barrelled shotgun.

A security alert has been put into force at Heathrow Airport, where more than 60 soldiers, carrying automatic weapons and patrolling in Scorpion tanks, Saracen armored cars and personnel carriers, have been called in to reinforce police.

Hoax calls were also tying up late-night traffic in London.

Taxis were taking the long way around as reports came in by radio of streets sealed off by police responding to bomb calls.

Parking meters have been quietly removed from streets in the vicinity of the prime minister's home at 10 Downing Street, to prevent parking of cars which might be booby-trapped.

Armed police, divided into squads of 10, are being sent through the packed stores and through the streets, making spot checks on pedestrians and car-drivers with parcels. Unarmed squads have been detailed to patrol the subways.

In addition to London, bombs have gone off in Manchester, Liverpool and Bristol within the last week.

So far, the bombs have exploded during early-morning hours in areas where people are not likely to be injured.

However, the IRA, in a warning call to a Dublin newspaper, said:

"Any act of brutality against defenceless prisoners of war would inevitably force us into considering inflicting heavy civilian casualties."

The IRA is seeking political-prisoner status for more than 300 held in British prisons in Northern Ireland for terrorist activities.

Farms vs. people

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"The research found that, should economic and social conditions dictate, sufficient unused production capacity exists to increase production to a position of complete self-suffieiency for current levels of food requirements."

If that situation ever arose "the only imports that would be required under these conditions would be to meet our out-of-season needs for fresh fruits and vegetables that we cannot store year round."

It said the major land requirements arise from consumption of livestock products, especially beef, and if the province were completely self-sufficient in all agricultural products, 80 per cent of the land used would be devoted to beef production.

"Even though complete self-sufficiency does not appear possible for the province at the turn of the century, more than sufficient land exists to produce all requirements of food products that can be grown in B.C. with the exception of beef," the report said.

The best self-sufficiency level to be expected by the turn of the century will be 70 per cent with that percentage falling as the population continues to grow.

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Lucky western numbers

WINNIPEG (CP) — Five tickets worth $100,000 each in the Western Express lottery were drawn Wednesday night.

The top tickets are 57893 in series three; 68326 in series nine; 61250 in series 12; 12497 in series 15; and 15669 in series 12.

Tickets with the same numbers in any other series are worth $1,000. There are 100 such $1,000 tickets.

Cash prizes of $100 go to holders of tickets with the last four digits of the winning numbers. Ticket holders with the last three digits of winning numbers win $25.

500 Fund donations

Donations for the *Colonist* 500 Fund may be brought to the *Colonist* office until noon today at 2621 Douglas.

Latest donations:

Carried forward	$45,338.54
Fred and Ev	20.00
Anonymous	136.25
The Bay Company	300.00
Babe's Honey — proceeds from December sales	600.00
R. George Hopkinson	20.00
Joseph McMahon	10.00
South Vancouver Island Rangers	100.00
Mr. and Mrs. R.T. McTaggard	5.00
T.W.Patterson	10.00
J.M.D.	20.00
In memory of the Grandparents	10.00
Anonymous	40.00
Evelyn and Ken	5.00
In loving memory of a wonderful father — John Frederick Whitely	25.00
Peter	5.00
University Centre Raffle	93.00
Pam Wilson	20.00
Rob Wilson	20.00
Anonymous	10.00
A.N.M.	10.00
W.K.S.	10.00
E.A.M.	10.00
T.M.	10.00
R.E.M.	10.00
A Pensioner	10.00
Miss H. Parkinson	5.00
Valerie, Darell, Darlene, Kathy and Kate	25.00
The staff of Home Purchase Assistance Branch	50.00
In memory of Halo	25.00
K.M.K.	5.00
B.J.B.	5.00
Lucy	5.00
G.T.A.	10.00
In memory of loved ones	5.00
In memory of Ethel	50.00
A. and F. Robinson	15.00
Canadian Foresters Court Arbutus Local 1711	50.00
Anonymous	302.00
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Charman	100.00
H.G.B.	20.00
Leo and Rosemary	10.00
John Brodie and family	5.00
L.A.B. Harrison	5.00
Fernwood Manor (Reechild Developments)	85.21
Mr. and Mrs. George Chalmers Johnston	10.00
B.L.D.	50.00
L. and J.B.	25.00
Mrs. Stonners	10.00
In loving memory of Marie	10.00
Miss J. Leigh	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Cubbon	20.00
Earl Pleasance	2.00
Rod Pleasance	2.00
Don Crowhurst	10.00
Anonymous	20.00
In memory of Mary Edith Blainey	30.00
Chris, Geoff and Sarah Klassen	25.00
In memory of Whiz Bang	5.00
Garth G. Rilshede	10.00
Barbara and Roy Crawford	50.00
A.S. McNeil	6.00
John B. Barnes	15.00
In memory of both our moms and dads	15.00
Missey and Sheba	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder and family	25.00
Misty and Buffy	10.00
B.I. Gawne	20.00
Chantal	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. Cefinski	10.00
Alan R. Laing	25.00
Hospital Employee's Union — Local 180 Mt. Tolmie Unit	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Jones	25.00
Mothers of Diabetic Children — proceeds from herring sale	50.00
Lillian Yo-achim	20.00
Maverick Square Dance Club	44.00
Anonymous	508.05
Gordie and Sandy	5.00
K. Farley	20.00
In loving memory of Peter Fiorin	25.00
Miss S. Fleming	10.00
The Bittens	50.00
In memory of my son Harold	10.00
D.Fyvie	20.00
Division 3 — Grade 6, Lakehill Elementary School	60.00
C. and A.	5.00
Anonymous	135.00
Anonymous	15.00
Town and Country Truck Rentals	25.00
Mrs Doreen Van	20.00
Anonymous	5.00
Iris Lannon	25.00
George Thomas Cabinets	5.00
Mrs. Powell	10.00
22nd Guide Company	10.00
Mrs. A. Lebrun	5.00
Paul and Correne Carson	15.00
Vantreights Soccer Club	30.00
Leslee and John	5.00
Royal Jubilee Hospital Employees community services fund	750.00
H.S. and D.M. Holman	25.00
The Victoria Rebekah Past Noble Grands Club	37.00
Crescent Electronic Supplies Ltd.	50.00
R. Battersby	10.00
Base Supply Building 211, Dockyard — Esquimalt	18.50
Laurel Point Inn	28.10
Anne Caldarone	20.00
In loving memory of William T. McLaughlin	90.00
In loving memory of Mrs. D.A. Campbell	90.00
Anonymous	270.00
TOTAL	$50,690.65

The weather

Dec. 21, 1978

Mostly cloudy, a few showers of rain or snow in the morning, a few sunny periods. Winds light westerly. Wednesday's precipitation: trace. Sunshine nil. Recorded high and low at Victoria airport 6 and 3. Today's forecast high and low near 4 and near 0. Today's sunrise 8:03, sunset 4:21. Moonrise 11:46 p.m., moonset 11:52 a.m. Friday outlook: rain.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Mostly cloudy, a few showers of rain or snow in the morning, a few sunny periods. Winds light to moderate northwesterly. Wednesday's precipitation: 0.5 mm. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo 5 and 3. Forecast high and low near 4 and 0. Friday outlook: rain.

West coast of Vancouver Island — Mostly cloudy, a few morning showers. Winds light to moderate westerly to northwesterly. Forecast high and low at Tofino 3 to 4 and 0 to 2. Friday outlook: rain.

North coast of the Mainland — Increasing cloud with rain beginning in the late afternoon, mixed rain and snow inland. Winds light to moderate westerly becoming light to moderate southeasterly by evening. Forecast high and low near 4 and near 0. Friday outlook: showers.

Extended outlook, Saturday through Monday — cool temperatures, rain at times. Highs 2 to 5. Lows —1 to 1.

READINGS

	Max.	Min.	Prec.
St. John's	6	—5	—
Halifax	12	1	—
Fredericton	12	—1	—
Charlottetown	11	2	—
Montreal	14	5	—
Ottawa	14	2	—
Toronto	16	—1	—
Thunder Bay	19	1	—
North Bay	13	5	—
Kenora	— 6	—12	1.4
Winnipeg	—13	—18	—
Brandon	—12	—22	—
Regina	— 6	—19	—
Saskatoon	— 2	—21	—
Prince Albert	— 6	—26	—
North Battleford	— 2	—15	—
Swift Current	— 5	—24	—
Medicine Hat	0	—11	—
Lethbridge	1	— 5	—
Calgary	4	— 5	—
Swift Current	— 3	—17	—
Cranbrook	— 2	—17	—
Castlegar	— 1	— 4	—
Penticton	— 2	— 5	—
Princeton	— 3	—10	2.2
Vancouver	4	1	18.9
Prince Rupert	6	2	35.2
Stewart	3	— 5	25.8
Port Hardy	6	4	6.0
Tofino	7	4	52.6
Comox	1	4	—
Prince George	— 1	— 4	1.3
Williams Lake	— 1	— 7	1.0
Dawson City	—33	—37	—
Whitehorse	—10	—16	6.8
Kamloops	—12	—21	2.2
Fort St. John	1	— 3	—
Peace River	0	— 9	—
Yellowknife	—22	—29	4.4
Fort Nelson	—27	—37	—
Seattle	6	1	0.8
Spokane	— 2	— 7	0.5
Portland	1	— 2	0.2
Phoenix	14	4	—
Las Vegas	11	0	5.8

TIDES FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.
21	0035	3.8	0930	8.6	1345	7.1	1845	6.4
22	0100	4.5	0940	8.7	1755	5.8	2000	5.9
23	0145	5.1	1000	8.7	1745	5.0	2345	5.9
24	0155	5.8	1010	8.8	1810	4.2	2355	5.9
25	0455	6.6	1020	9.0	1815	3.2		

TIDES AT SOOKE

	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.
21	0725	8.6	1330	7.1	1625	7.5		
22	0030	4.7	0810	8.8	1505	6.6	1810	6.8
23	0050	5.2	0835	9.0	1605	5.8	2035	6.5
24	0105	5.7	0855	9.3	1700	4.9	2230	6.5
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Vance arranging talks to spur Mideast drive

WASHINGTON (AP)—In a bid to reopen Middle East peace talks, U.S. State Secretary Cyrus Vance is arranging a meeting this weekend in Europe with Egyptian and Israeli officials.

Informed sources said the idea was to have Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan and Egyptian Premier Mustafa Khalil sit down together with Vance to explore new approaches to a settlement.

It would be the first face-to-face session between Egyptian and Israel ministers in a month.

Vance failed on a trip last week to the Middle East to bridge differences between Egypt and Israel over the Palestinian dispute and other issues blocking a treaty.

Carter administration officials said a suspension of peace efforts for several weeks was likely, although they also predicted an eventual resumption of talks and completion of the treaty.

Dayan headed the Israeli delegation in the negotiations held in Washington after President Carter's Camp David, Md., summit meeting with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin.

Khalil, while not a member of the Egyptian neogotiating team, is considered one of the most prominent doves in the cabinet that Sadat formed after the Camp David meeting.

Among the issues currently in dispute:

● Israel's refusal to accept the end of 1979 as a target date for Palestinian elections. Sadat accepted the U.S. proposal last week.

● Egypt's refusal to exchange ambassadors with Israel until Palestinian autonomy is established.

● Egypt's insistence on "clarifying" a treaty provision that would have peace with Israel supersede its military alliances with other Arab countries.

● Egypt's proposal that terms of the treaty be reviewed after five years.

At a meeting in Washington with reporters, former Israeli foreign minister Abba Eban called on the Carter administration and the Israeli government "to lower their voices and to find a way of breaking off the rhetoric sequence."

—AP

The future's looking up

Wobbly 5½-foot baby giraffe stands under the head of his mother at the Brookfield, Ill., zoo, southwest of Chicago just a few hours after he was born. The youngster, who weighed 100 pounds at birth, will attain a height of 17 feet.

NAMES in the NEWS

Cossitts to court

Ontario Tory **Tom Cossitt** and his wife, **Anne**, brought charges of assault against each other, in Brockville, Ont., Wednesday. A tentative court date of Jan. 3 was set. The charges arose from an incident at the Cossitt residence that resulted in a call to police Dec. 10. Cossitt was taken to hospital by police and was a patient there for three days. Cossitt filed an action for divorce Nov. 30.

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A portrait of former U.S. state secretary **Henry Kissinger** was unveiled late Wednesday at the state department in Washington—with champagne, ceremony and good humor. "They've painted out the sceptre," **Kissinger** remarked as his wife, **Nancy**, dropped the curtain from the portrait. "It's an excellent likeness," Kissinger said, "swelled head and all."

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Meir Kahane, founder of the Jewish Defence League, and members of his Conference of Jewish Activists tethered a 30-pound piglet to television producer **Norman Lear's** door knob to protest Lear's contributions to the American Civil Liberties Union. In awarding what he declared would be the first in a series of Uncle Jake awards, Kahane said in Los Angeles that his anger followed the ACLU's defence of an American Nazi group's right to march earlier this year in Skokie, Ill. Lear called the presentation "a great tribute and a great honor."

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Jon Jennekens, a 46-year-old engineer, becomes president of the federal Atomic Energy Control Board at the end of next week. Jennekens, a member of the staff at the regulatory agency since 1962, will succeed **Dr. A. T. Prince** who is retiring.

Kissinger

. . . 'swelled head'

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Carmen Franco, only daughter of the late Spanish dictator, was fined the equivalent of $97,000 in Madrid on charges of trying to smuggle jewels of national importance out of the country. Miss Franco, who bears the title Marchioness of Villaverde, was accused of smuggling out 31 jewel-encrusted gold medallions presented to **Gen. Francisco Franco** by municipal officials.

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Television's **Mary Tyler Moore** says she's smoked marijuana and regards it as no more dangerous than her nightly before-dinner martini. Her husband, **Grant Tinker**, also quoted in the the *Ladies' Home Journal*, said he too had smoked pot and agreed with his wife that marijuana possession laws should be eased.

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Representative Philip Crane, Illinois Republican, the first major candidate for the 1980 presidential race, has released his 1977 tax returns and the most interesting item was a mere $14 entry under "miscellaneous income." It turns out that the presidential hopeful penned the lyrics for **Jimmy Dean's** first hit in 1957, a Christmas tale called *Little Sandy Sleighfoot*, and the $14 represents the 1977 royalties from the one-and-only song he wrote with a friend 21 years ago.

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John Lamula, a New York civil service commissioner, fired off a $100 cheque to **Mayor Dennis Kucinich** to try to help Cleveland climb out of its financial mess and is asking his friends to contribute to a "Save Cleveland Fund."

Johannesburg frees leader

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — Security police freed Sally Motlana, a prominent leader of the black township of Soweto, on Tuesday after eight weeks in detention. Mrs. Motlana, vice-president of the South African Council of Churches, had been detained Oct. 25 and held in solitary confinement with frequent interrogations.

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Police break-ins: a closer look

BACK IN APRIL of this year, Thomas Venner, director of criminal operations in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, told the McDonald Royal Commission that Mounties had undertaken some 402 "intelligence probes" in B.C. between 1972 and 1976.

In essence, his testimony seemed clearly to be saying the RCMP in this province repeatedly broke the law in pursuit of criminals, by entering places where officers had no legal authority to go.

There were loud protests from civil rights advocates, politicians and newspaper editors over such flagrant abuse of police powers. The point they all made was: of course police have a tough job because they must follow the legal rules while the crooks don't. But to allow the police to do anything else defeats rule by law.

That same month Attorney-General Garde Gardom ordered a full report on surreptitious entries by police in B.C. and that report, prepared by Deputy Attorney-General Richard Vogel, has now been made public. It appears to be a meticulous effort which reveals that the situation Venner implied was a long way from reality. With friends like Venner, or the officers who fed him his information, the RCMP hardly needs critics.

Vogel found that the number, 402, was in fact the total number of work orders processed by the Security Equipment Section of the RCMP during the period. In other words, there were 402 requests from RCMP officers in B.C. for technical help, the making of keys, for example. Digging deeper, Vogel found that in 212 of these cases, there was no subsequent police action. That dropped the number of so-called entries from 402 to 190.

Then Vogel found that in 149 of these remaining 190 cases, RCMP officers did in fact first obtain a warrant, an authorization under the Privacy Act or other legal authority. From 402, the number of cases involving police entry without authorization was pared to 41.

Vogel concludes that the police involved could be charged in these remaining cases, particularly in four instances where evidence was removed from the scene. But he has recommended against charges and the attorney-general agrees. In brief, Vogel says charges under the particular circumstances aren't justified and most likely wouldn't stick. The points of law with which he supports his recommendation could be argued but they are impressive. They will not satisfy those who see the law only in black and white — but they seem reasonable to us.

Since December of 1976 the RCMP in British Columbia have had specific operating rules covering the question of entry. Other police forces in the province also have been given the following policy directive on surreptitious entry:

"It is appropriate for a police officer to enter a dwelling house either by invitation or proper legal authority. Proper legal authority includes: search warrants, writs of assistance, certain provisions of the Narcotic Control Act, or Official Secrets Act, the Privacy Provisions of the Criminal Code and such authority as may be found in any Federal or Provincial Act giving authority.

"Entering a premisies without invitation or proper legal authority may result in disciplinary action; entering a premises and committing a criminal offence, albeit technical, provides grounds for prosecution."

No clearer warning could be given a police officer.

The report makes clear where the *ultimate* responsibility for any past police misconduct on the matter of illegal entry really lies. That is with Parliament. It is the federal Parliament which writes the Criminal Code and must always make absolutely clear the limits in trying to enforce that code.

Paul Hellyer

Schreyer appointment a bad precedent

OTTAWA — The obvious lack of concern for principle shown by the enthusiastic response to the announcement that Ed Schreyer would become Canada's fifth home-grown Governor-General is more than a little disturbing.

Favorable comment has been based almost entirely on personality. Ed is a nice guy (except in the eyes of Manitoba Tories). And his wife Lily is totally charming. They are warm Westerners whose names are neither English nor French — yet 100 per cent Canadian. Consequently the appointment is, *ipso facto*, a good one. And heaven help the ingrate who raises a discordant opinion.

The message was loud and clear while I was taking part in the taping of a television show with chief Liberal organizer Senator Keith Davey and others shortly after the appointment was announced. One of the panelists raised the question of appointing an active politician to the job of Queen's Canadian representative, and I chimed in.

Naturally Davey insisted that the new G-G was an inspired choice (it was all the PM's idea and anything the boss does is okay with him). More surprisingly, another friend of long-standing used the "commercial break" to scold me. "Of all people, Paul, you should be the last to suggest that having been a politician bars a person from appointment to the highest office." She struck a sensitive nerve. Often the press has been critical of the appointment of former politicians to head various boards and commissions and I have argued that merit should be the sole consideration. A candidate should not be disqualified by political experience.

But there is another principle involved in selecting a Governor-General — a point my friend missed completely. The Queen's position is unique. Her aloofness from partisan politics is the essence and principal merit of a constitutional monarchy. She is neither capitalist nor socialist, liberal nor conservative. She transcends these considerations and it is on this basis that her role as ultimate arbiter is accepted.

One expects her Canadian representative to reflect the same special qualities — someone who is above partisan interests and, equally important, appears to be so. Two of our native Governors-General met this test automatically. No one could possibly accuse either Georges Vanier or Jules Leger of partisanship.

The other two had some political background. Vincent Massey was a Liberal candidate in the dim distant past — so far back most people can't remember. But later he spent many years in the diplomatic service and was head of a Royal Commission — plenty long enough to expunge any taint of partisanship. The same is true of Roland Mitchener. He was a Tory minister in Ontario who switched to federal politics. But before becoming Governor-General he went through a two-state desensitization. First he was Speaker of the Commons where he earned a reputation for scrupulous fairness — so much so that he often upset his former conservative colleagues. Then he spent three years as Canadian High Commissioner to India. So that by the time he became G-G his partisanship had been thoroughly laundered.

Had Schreyer undergone the same process with a couple of intervening years outside politics his nomination would rightly be greeted with considerable enthusiasm. But in fact it's only days since he was hurling insults across the floor of the legislature.

Appointing him directly from that position as leader of a political party is a very bad precedent. It is not reassuring of the prime minister's understanding or respect for a great institution of government.

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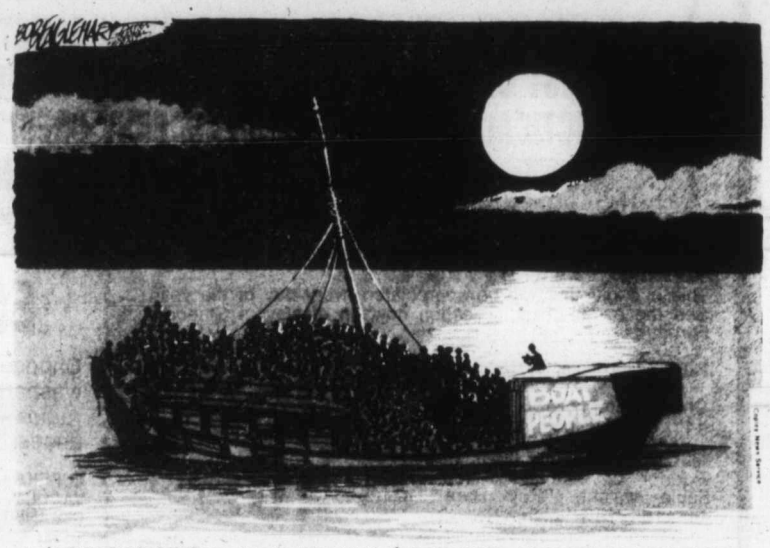


"... AND SHE WRAPPED HIM IN SWADDLING CLOTHES, AND LAID HIM IN A MANGER, BECAUSE THERE WAS NO ROOM FOR THEM IN THE INN."

Guyanese government links with suicide leader Jones

By Hugh O'Shaughnessy
The London Observer

LONDON — Popular pressure is building up in Guyana for a puble inquiry into the complex relationship between the government of Forbes Burnham and Jim Jones, leader of the People's Temple sect, 900 of whose members committed suicide at the remote Guyanese jungle settlement of Jonestown last month.

According to Dale Parks, a Jonestown survivor I spoke to in Georgetown, Jones had on various occasions this year threatened Prime Minister Burnham with a suicide scandal if the Guyanese government did not give into his wishes.

This could explain the fact that large quantities of arms, ammunition and foreign currency were found in Jonestown in contravention of Guyana's strict gun control and foreign exchange regulations.

The Guyanese government, which is going through a severe economic crisis and which has been attacked bitterly for the manner in which last July's constitutional referendum was allegedly rigged in Burnham's favor, would have done its best to avoid any more trouble.

In a hard-hitting article entitled "Time we knew the truth," the *Catholic Standard*, a weekly which has been severely critical of Burnham's policies, comments: "Many questions still remain unanswered of how the People's Temple came to have such a large secluded settlement in an area of Guyana where entry by coastal Guyanese is so restricted and controlled by the Guyana government."

In the latest issue of *Caribbean Contact*, the authoritative monthly of the Caribbean Council of Churches, editor Rickey Singh reports that the Burnham government and the U.S. administration were fully informed about the situation at Jonestown but chose to ignore the warnings.

According to *Caribbean Contact*, Ms. Clare Bouquet of San Mateo, California, wrote to the U.S. Embassy in Georgetown in March this year claiming that her son Brian and his wife Claudia were being kept against their will at Jonestown.

The U.S. vice-consul replied that such allegations were unsubstantiated and that the embassy had noted "no signs of duress" at Jonestown.

On June 20 Ms. Bouquet wrote to Burnham appealing for his help and prophetically commenting, "the very lives of those 1,100 Americans may be in jeopardy." Copies of the letter were sent to President Carter, Secretary of State Cyrus Vance, Congressman Leo Ryan, who was killed last month at Jonestown, another congressman and Lawrence Mann, the Guyanese ambassador in Washington. It was all to no avail.

Burnham's opponents also point to the fact that his government and the ruling People's National Congress have been involved for years with a succession of questionable messianic cults, many of which preach Negro racial superiority. Burnham's political support in the past has mainly come from the Negro element in the racially-mixed population of Guyana.

The prime example at the moment is the House of Israel. This is led by "Rabbi Edward Emmanuel Washington II," an American citizen with a controversial history in the U.S., where he was known as David Hill. The House of Israel, which proclaims that the original Jews were really black, has strongly backed the Burnham government.

Another strong supporter of Burnham is the Reverend Hewley Hinds, leader of the African Methodist Episcopalian Church whose membership is limited to Negroes. Hinds is a leading figure in church politics in Guyana and is a strong supporter of Burnham.

From 1970 onwards Burnham's People's National Congress was also heavily involved with the Trinidadian-born Black Power leader Michael de Freitas, alias Michael X. Michael X, who was active in Black Power politics in London, was a guest with Jim Jones at the celebrations in Georgetown of the proclamation of Guyana as a republic in 1970. He was promptly dropped by Burnham when he went on trial in Trinidad on a charge of murdering the daughter of a British MP. He was subsequently convicted and hanged in Port of Spain.

The government and the PNC have also had contact with the Black Muslims as a result of Burnham's offer of sanctuary for black freedom fighters from any part of the world. Black Muslims from the U.S. still maintain an agricultural settlement in the Berbice region of Guyana. At least one leading member of the PNC, Hamilton Greene, says he is a Muslim.

Opposition sources claim the Black Muslims were involved in the attempted murder of a political activist, George Ramsammy, in Georgetown in 1973. Ramsammy, a Marxist and an East Indian, became involved in political work against the government in Tiger Bay, the red-light district of Georgetown. He was fired at from a passing car and severely wounded.

Although the opposition claims the assailant was a Black Muslim "hit man" and that the car used belonged to the government, no one has been charged with the assault.

Today in History

Benjamin Disraeli, English statesman and man of letters, was born 174 years ago today — in 1804.

In 1837 he was elected to Parliament, after losing in several previous attempts, and his maiden speech Dec. 7 of that year was a failure. His extravagant attire and flowery speech made an impression of affected absurdity; and he was roundly mocked. He defiantly warned the mockers that the day would come when they would have to listen to him.

He became prime minister briefly in 1868 and then returned to power in 1874 with a large majority. He made many important policy decisions during that tenure that affected Britain for years after his death in 1881.

Gwynne Dyer

'Boat people' of Vietnam: Drowning your problems

LONDON — Imagine that every week a Jumbo jet ran out of fuel and crashed, killing everyone aboard, because the passengers' passports were not in order and everybody closed their airports to it. There would be a public outcry and perhaps some bureaucracies might even forget their red tape for once.

About the equivalent of a Jumbo jetload of people are drowning in the South China Sea each week, for no better reason than that their documents are not in order. But a foundering boatload of human beings makes much less noise, and they die conveniently, unprotestingly, out of sight. And after all, they are only Vietnamese.

In September, 8,000 "boat people" reached Malaysia, in October 12,000. Last month the figure may have doubled again. Three-quarters of the refugees now reaching the coasts of South-East Asian countries come from Vietnam's Chinese minority — and so do three-quarters of those who drown on the way when their overloaded, often unseaworthy craft founder in the monsoon-torn seas.

Even a safe arrival does not mean safety. In November Malaysia adopted the heartless policy of sending all boats back to sea regardless of their condition.

The reason Thailand, Indonesia and Malaysia are turning these pitiable boatloads of seasick, half-starving refugees back towards the inhospitable sea is that they are afraid they will be stuck with them permanently. Thailand already has at least 150,000 refugees, many of whom have been there for years. Malaysia, which is bearing the brunt of the recent wave of seaborne refugees, will have at least 50,000 on its territory by the end of the year.

If these poorer countries knew that the rich, industrialized nations would assume their own fair share of the responsibility promptly, they would not be turning refugees away to die. But Britain, amidst great self-congratulation, has accepted exactly 346 "boat people"

Germany, whose record until recently was as bad as Britain's, has just accepted 2,650 refugees. Canada is taking the magnificent total of 60 families a month. Japan, living down to its long-standing reputation as the least generous of the industrial nations, has accepted precisely none.

As befits the countries which bear the greatest responsibility for Vietnam's tragedies over the past three decades, the U.S. and France are doing much better than that: America is offering 25,000 visas a year (plus an additional 20,000 this year) and France is taking 12,000 refugees a year. Australia, to its eternal credit, is taking 9,000 a year although its population is only one-seventeenth that of the U.S.

Even so, the delays are intolerable. It takes 60 to 70 days for the French to process the documents of a refugee before admitting him; it takes American officials on average 150 days. Meanwhile the numbers in the camps pile up and the anxious Malaysians and Thais, worried that most will never move on, start turning the newest arrivals back to sea to die.

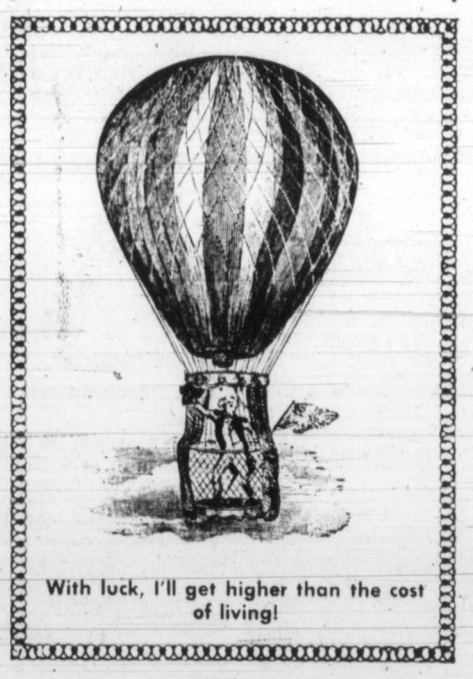
The worst part of this is that hardly anybody will now go looking for trouble by seeking out and helping the refugee boats at sea: time enough to worry about them if they make it to shore. Two Vietnamese did make it to shore in Japan at the end of last month, the sole survivors from a boatload of 141 human beings that left Vietnam two months before.

All the rest drowned or died of starvation or thirst on the journey. Many more boats disappear entirely, with no survivors to inform the keepers of statistics. Yet all these craft are crossing main shipping lanes and are passed by numerous merchant ships that no longer dare stop to pick up the refugees.

The most fundamental law of the sea — that one always stops for vessels in distress — is being broken every day. Honest seamen are being turned into the passive executioners of innocent people. Our governments are conspiring at a loathsome crime and it is happening right now.

The most urgent requirement — more pressing than a decision on which country takes how many refugees — is a collective guarantee by the rich nations to the South-East Asian countries that they will eventually accept all the refugees arriving from now on and pay for their upkeep in the meantime. Then merchant ships will again be willing to pick up refugees in trouble at sea, knowing they will be able to put them ashore when they reach port.

ART'S GALLERY by Art Finley



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NOTES TO YOU. . .

The search for perfection in a particular job or pastime, is not bound by chronological age. Dr. George Bigelow has been around this good earth for something around 65 years and he has been pounding golf balls into submission for probably 50 of those years. Hard to keep up the enthusiasm for such a long time, but George has done it and continues to do it. Our best known golfing doctor, still a very low handicapper, whacked in his 19th hole-in-one this past Sunday when he sank his tee shot on the eighth hole at the Oak Bay links. George will not allow such a feat to slake his thirst for golfing perfection. He will be gunning for ace number 20 with every shot he takes on par three holes — and furthermore, I'll bet he gets it. . .

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OUR INSURANCE CORPORATION continues to tell deliberate falsehoods, continues to use false advertising. ICBC tells all and sundry that starting with the coming year, those drivers with three years safe driving records, will be rewarded with a 32.5 per cent discount. But Moscow Mutual lies — there is no such discount. The discount is tied to the vehicle plate, not to the driver's driving licence, which, Grace McCarthy (and I realize it is not your fault,) is a whole passel of utter stupidity. If my driver's licence has been free of accidents for three years (which it has,) but I do not get the 32.5 per cent discount because of the rebate being tied to a licence plate, then good old ICBC is being somewhat fraudulant. Here's what happens. If, for sake of argument, you had four or five years free of accident and then decided to lease a car instead of owning your own, that meant you dropped your own licence plate for a year. And that's the rub — even although you might have continued your accident-free record through the lease year — you would not qualify when applying for a new plate. . .

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WRITE A PIECE about the depths to which crusty roll making has tumbled, expect some replies. Received two calls early this week pointing out that a new bakery — The Ambrosia in the Cedar Hill shopping mall — has marvelous crusty rolls and crusty bread. I will check it out later this week — you might do the same if you have the same love of such bakery products. . .

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HOW'S THIS for a switch. *The Georgia Straight*, long recognized as an anti-establishment, somewhat left-wing Vancouver publication, has hired right wing columnist Doug Collins to do a weekly piece until such time as *The Sun* gets back into publication. Now that's sound business on the part of the *Straight* and will undoubtedly boost circulation figures. . .

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EDGAR FARTHING is an alderman in North Saanich and he is also a member of the Help End Inflation association of this area. And he is trying to do just that. Right now he is leading a move to quash a proposed pay hike for North Saanich Mayor George Westwood, a raise that would give him roughly three times the salary of the aldermen. Farthing feels it should be no more than double and also feels it is just a little ridiculous that more should be expected for doing precisely the same work that was entailed last year. I wish him well and also wish we had more elected officials (add the names of John Mika and Mary Casilio) who realize restraint at the public trough must come from the top. All communities, large or small, must get it through stubborn heads that yes, Cleveland could happen here. . .

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THIS WAS WRITTEN away back in 1923 by a Vivian Stebbins and it still has warmth and truth to it in today's world.

"If you like to hike up a winding wooded trail as we do,

If you like to make friends of real people, like song sparrows, meadowlarks and round-eyed thrushes, as we do,

If you like to bare your head and heart before a wise old oak or a clean-lived pine, as we do,

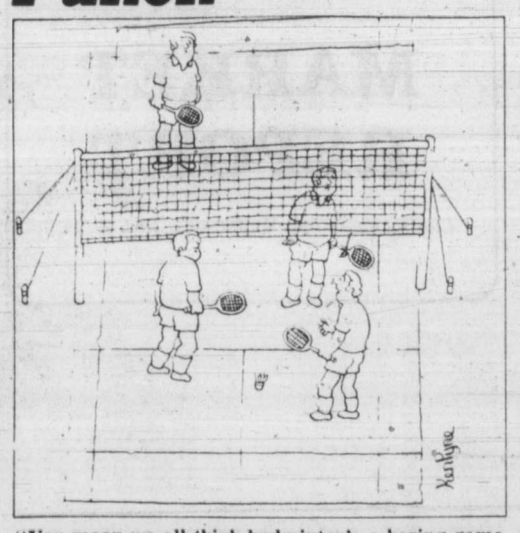
If you like to sit beside a crackling log fire and say nothing, as we do,

If you know what it means to find adventure and contentment — that we need wish you little else, for you are rich as we are,

In the things that money can't buy."

Let it sink in.

Punch



"You mean we all think badminton's a boring game and we'd all prefer to spend our evenings in the pub?"

To the editor

To be considered for publication in entirety or in part, letters to the editor should be on subjects of general interest. Preference will be given those that are brief and to the point.

Tax line wavering

Saanich taxpayers are continually being told by council members that the "line is being held" on taxes and the mill rate is not increasing. What they omit to say is that recent councils have borrowed heavily to achieve this and the "hold the line" policy is not apparent.

Saanich has borrowed approximately $5 million in the last four years (according to statements made by the mayor and senior staff at a public information meeting in Cordova Bay recently). The present municipal debt is $18 million.

At $18 million Saanich has the highest municipal debt rates in the province. (As of December 1977, Victoria's debt was approximately $10 million, Oak Bay's $4 million, Esquimalt's $1 million.)

Economists have warned Saanich that rapid development and the need for expanded services could push the mill rate out of control. By dipping into the pockets of money-lenders there is a danger that neither officials nor taxpayers realize what the "real mill rate" is.

The 1977 and 1978 chairmen of the finance committee have both made recent statements in the press that during their periods in office the mill rate did not increase; they intimated that the reason for this was careful budgeting. In view of the above facts I find these statements misleading and irresponsible.

I hope that the 1979 finance committee chairman and other members of council will be more accurate and forthright about the true state of municipal finances.

ANN MOFFAT,
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Victoria.

Spring secret?

What price California in the winter, when Victoria can well lay claim to being British Columbia's "banana belt city?" Why do Canadians flee to the south with their deflated dollars when in our fair city flowers bloom all year round?

On the morning of Dec. 6, I was surprised and delighted to have a group of lovely, tall snowdrops greet me, earlier than I've ever known them to bloom before — and was told they were blooming in November. Are they telling us that spring is just around the corner?

WINNIFRED BYRAM,
Cook St.,
Victoria.

Civic Scene by Hubert Beyer

EVERY SO OFTEN something happens that helps give politics a better name.

One such occasion came last Monday when Victoria Ald. William McElroy gathered a collection of provincial and federal officials for a tour of an old building in Chinatown.

The object of the exercise was to help find new living quarters for five old men living in a building that isn't fit for human habitation.

Few politicians would resist the urge to make political hay out of a story such as this, but McElroy tried his best to keep the matter from reporters. He felt that publicity might hurt his chances of accomplishing what he had set out to do.

McElroy deserves credit for his stand, although I happen to disagree with him. It's not the publicity *per se* that might have jeopardized his plans, it's a certain kind of publicity—the self-serving and self-glorifying kind of which so many politicians are guilty.

McElroy was a bit nervous when I tagged along, but I hope his fears were allayed.

WHAT I SAW DURING this brief inspection tour should be seen by every Victorian. It is hard to conceive that anyone in Victoria should have to live in such inhuman conditions. And it's difficult to blame anyone in particular.

The building in question is wedged between two other buildings, one of which fronts on Fisgard, the other on Herald. Originally, the building had 20 suites, but only five of them are still lived in.

The occupants are five Chinese men, all over 80. None of them speaks English.

The building was inherited by Abacus Cities, a large development company which purchased it along with Market Square when Deregulations Minister Sam Bawlf divested himself of all his holdings after his election.

The five old men paid $25 a month rent, but Abacus stopped collecting the rent when the fire marshal condemned the building five months ago.

ABACUS THEN APPLIED for a demolition permit, but Victoria city council intervened by initiating heritage designation proceedings. The three buildings are in bad repair and unfit for human habitation, but they have definite heritage value.

The irresistible force clashed with the immovable object and five people got caught in the crunch.

McElroy's call for a meeting of senior government representatives was heeded. Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation was there, the provincial housing ministry was there, the provincial Housing Management Corporation was there.

They saw incredible things in the heart of Victoria, the city without slums. They saw dirty and cold suites, no more than 400 square-feet in size, with naked brick walls and mattresses on the floor.

It was more like the slums of Hong Kong than Victoria's Chinatown and they didn't like it one bit.

And for the first time in years, I saw government wheels begin to grind at high speed. No further meetings, no preliminary correspondence, no "we'll get in touch with you."

Right there on the sidewalk in freezing-cold wind, three levels of government came to an agreement.

A SENIOR CITIZEN HOME for the Chinese community will be built right in the heart of Chinatown.

The project will be sponsored by the Chinese Benevolent Association. The city of Victoria will provide the administrative resources to get the project started. The province and the federal government will provide the funds.

Until the project is completed, different accommodation will have to be found for the five old men living in the condemned building.

But in the end, there will be a senior citizen home for the Chinese community. And it will be where it belongs, in Chinatown. It would be cruel to try to uproot old people who lived all their lives in Chinatown and take them away from their familiar surroundings.

As for McElroy's role in this little episode, it's probably the sort of thing he hoped he could do when he ran for public office. Unfortunately, too many politicians get stuck in a rut and their idealism is absorbed by the system once they are in office.

McElroy deserves unqualified praise for the way he handled the matter.

Society wins dice roll for English

A reply to the prime minister on bilingualism.

According to Mr. Trudeau's statement in newspaper reports recently, he stated and I quote: "I am willing to run on the bilingual issue in the next election." We of the Western Federation Society take issue with him on his statement. We believe that he will lose the election if he flaunts his arrogance on the language question before the more than 17,000,000 Anglophones regardless of the fact he controls the majority seats in Quebec.

The Western Federation Society state the following in their brochure, I quote:

One national language.

Basically we have to accept the fact that the world language of commerce and most important the North American language of commerce is English. It is only reasonable therefore that we as Canadians have a duty to our children and our children's children to be sure that under no condition shall we deprive them or jeopardize their right to have full command of this language by forcing on them a second language which contributes nothing to better their position in life.

The ability and right of any individual in a free society to speak any other language is their prerogative. The government of this country is destroying the rights of the people of French origin by allowing injustices imposed over 200 years ago by the leaders of Quebec to hamper the freedoms of their people in language and education, to the extent of not enjoying and participating in our country's growth. The full right to be given the opportunity to have the ability to speak the language of commerce of this continent is the democratic right of all Canadians.

Imposing a second language which has no rightful purpose in this country and then having the audacity to force people in the employ of the government to learn it, is only another crack in our free democratic society. When the ability to attain promotion or employment becomes a factor of language only, then a third crack appears.

When the ability to speak good French and poor English becomes a reason for paying higher wage rates over a person who speaks good English but poor French, then we have a fourth crack which has now turned into a wide split!

We have communities of people of many descents who lived in peace and harmony with Canadians of French origin for many years and who now are at each other's throats. We have the province that started it all now demanding unilingual French in both social and commerce. And, we have a federal government condoning every whim of this government to the detriment of the rest of the country.

Why has Mr. Trudeau failed to challenge Bill 101, the unilingual French Language Act as he did the unilingual English Language Act of Manitoba?

No, Mr. Trudeau you lose on this roll of the dice!

COL. PAUL L. BURTON, HMS., Retd.,
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Ignorance, apathy: Our worst enemies

The cost and availability of industrial and domestic energy, whatever the form, coal, oil or electric, permeates almost every phase of our lives. Those who control the cost and availability of energy have a stranglehold on society. This is particularly pernicious when the control of our resources is outside the country, as is the case in Canada with oil.

Recently in the House of Commons, Sinclair Stevens, the Conservative finance critic, who probably would be the minister of finance if the Conservatives come to power next May or June, said that Petro-Canada should not have been allowed to buy control of Pacific Petroleum which owned rich oil deposits in Alberta and Saskatchewan and that this resource should have been left in the hands of private investors i.e. the multinationals.

Joe Clark has avowed that should the Conservatives form the next government our oil resources will be returned to private investors. Doesn't this scare the h - - - out of you? At least the Liberals were responsible for the birth of Petro-Canada long advocated by and supported by the NDP. A positive step in the right direction.

Stevens, who was on the committee that worked on the legislation to set up Petro-Canada fought tenaciously against the legislation, and tried to defeat it. It will be defeated if Clark and Co. take over next spring. It looks as if we are going to jump out of the sizzling frying pan into the fire because we are so ignorant and apathetic. Ignorance and apathy, our two worse enemies.

W. STOTT,
258 Portsmouth Dr.,
Victoria.

Untold story of hardship

It is hard to believe that people who think like J. Patrick Sullivan still exist. With the communications media, especially television, bringing the very real sufferings of human beings in other parts of the world into focus, it is incomprehensible that such a lack of compassion can be so publicly displayed as it was in his letter appearing in your paper on Dec. 2.

How fortunate for him that he is destined to live in this country where it is possible to block out the inhuman misery and injustice that is reality to so many millions.

No one in this country with its great wealth and development, and such potential for more, should go to bed hungry, but the hunger and injustice we see here, no matter how sickening, do not prepare us in the least to comprehend what is happening in other parts of the world.

MARGARET JAMIESON
20 Philippa Pl.
Victoria.

Boeing-Boeing review challenged

I would like to take exception to a Dec. 10 theatre review by Jim Gibson of the Victoria Theatre Guild's production of *Boeing-Boeing*.

As the provincial drama consultant, it is my job to encourage and promote the development of community and amateur theatre in B.C. through our association Theatre B.C. (over 80 member groups throughout the province including the guild). And just when I feel the image of amateur theatre is improving, I see the ill-conceived review of Mr. Gibson.

This is not a plea for a "be kind to amateur theatre week." Any group that charges money at the door has a responsibility to its audience. And any group that uses a reviewer or adjudicator has to be able to take the bumps as well as the kudos. But if you read the Gibson review you'd think that there wasn't a redeeming moment in the whole play and that just is not true.

It is not a play without faults. I was asked by the director to view the play and give it my professional opinion. We discussed candidly its weaknesses. But we also discussed the strengths. Among them: the characters of the stewardesses and Bernard were finely drawn and consistent, the pacing of the hectic second act was excellent, certain comic bits had near perfect timing, and there was excellent pointing and cue pickup, etc. And if Gibson thinks the production missed some of the double entendres he certainly has a dirtier mind than I.

I find it annoying that I have to defend this production from the poison pen of Mr. Gibson. It was essentially a very, very funny production. I think the audience would agree.

MARCUS HANDMAN,
Consultant,
Theatre B.C.

Union representation

I am delighted that the premier of our province had the intestinal fortitude to recall the legislature to end the impasse in the dispute in the West Kootenay school district. The children in this instance were the victims of a union dispute that has harmed their education for six weeks.

Union bosses seem to thrive on the publicity and power they derive as elected members of their unions. They do not represent me. I had no part in electing them and they do not represent the rank and file British Columbian.

The members of our legislature do represent us — we voted them into office, and it is their duty to act when any labor dispute interferes with, or obstructs, any essential service. I consider education an essential service.

ISOBEL RIPLEY,
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Victoria.

5 YEARS OLD.

2 years older than many.

Toronto trading

TORONTO (CP) — A surge in energy issues sent the Toronto stock market sharply higher Wednesday at the close of its heaviest trading in 10 weeks.

The activity was attributed to the resumption of trading in shares of Simpsons Ltd. and Simpsons-Sears Ltd. after the breakdown of their proposed merger and a takeover bid by Hudson's Bay Co. for Simpsons control.

A total of 1,189 contracts were traded on the options market compared with 920 Tuesday.

The new Simpsons Ltd. units comprised of one Simpsons share and .65½ of a Simpsons-Sears Class B share topped the 84 block trades with 700,000 units at $7⅞ each. Another seven blocks totalling 345,900 units sold at prices ranging from $7⅝ to $7⅞.

BOX SCORE

	Wed.	Tues.
Issues traded	724	672
Advances	266	228
Declines	204	198
Unchanged	254	246

ACTIVE STOCKS

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Simp un	1165500	$7⅞	7½	7⅞	+⅛
Simpsons	242356	285	250	265	—510
Simp-Sr B	120469	$8¼	7½	7⅝	—⅛
Westcst Tr	65065	$11¾	11½	11⅝	+⅛
C Int PowA	51000	175	150	150	—25
Mines and oils					
Bankeno	131700	208	197	200	—7
OMG Hldg	107900	98	90	93	
Pennant R	100866	135	121	133	+10
Comb Mefl	73000	40	36	36	—3
Gulfstrm	68028	41	37½	40	+3
Trinity R	111787	495	460	495	+45
Ulster Pet	88134	187	166	178	+14
Czar Res	87300	$8⅞	7⅝	8⅛	+⅜

TSE 300 INDEX

	Close	Ch'ge	high	low
TSE 300	1280.50	+5.28	1332.71	996.88
Minerals	1066.84	+4.47	1214.99	769.09
Financ'l	1176.40	—4.43	1217.56	919.49
Oil, Gas	1780.87	+16.30	1794.38	1305.89
Industry	1023.14	+10.40	1090.05	822.68
Utilities	1440.60	+9.86	1464.95	1211.13
Consum	1185.87	+11.46	1218.77	888.77
Merch	1085.96	+3.04	1125.19	816.08
Forest	1346.02	—8.37	1412.95	834.62
Transp't	1589.48	+.16	1680.22	1100.57
Pipeline	1437.55	+9.41	1507.12	1282.82
Manage	1411.19	+11.08	1520.12	1151.86
Comm.	1366.65	+5.06	1366.65	1006.38
Golds	1406.35	—11.88	1767.83	1205.62
Building	2246.12	+6.14	2319.85	1373.19

Up 11, down 3. Volume 5.63 million (3.45 million). Value $48.85 million $36.53 million).

MARKET REPORT

Closing quotations Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1978

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Toronto Stock Exchange—Dec 20

Complete tabulation of Wednesday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. z—Odd lot. xd—Ex-dividend. xr—Ex-rights. xw — Ex-warrants. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
A and B					
Abacus	11414	410	400	400	
Aby Gin w	300	340	340	340	
Abitibi	14340	$19⅛	18¼	18⅞	—¼
Abitbi 10	100	$54½	54½	54½	+½
Action Trd	3300	95	95	95	
Adenac M	3000	59	56	59	+4
Advocate	500	265	265	265	
Agnico E	7450	56½	5⅞	6	
Agra Ind A	200	56¼	6¼	6¼	+½
Ahed C	1900	140	140	140	+5
Akaitcho	1500	72	71	71	—5
Albany	14500	50	47	50	+2
Alt Energy	11130	$19¾	19	19⅛	+⅛
Alta Gas A	45649	$15⅛	14⅝	15	+⅜
Alta G C p	225	$73½	73½	73½	
Alta G E p	225	525	25	25	
Alta G F	927	$27⅞	27⅛	27⅛	—⅛
Alta G 9.76	355	$27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	—⅛
Alta G 6½	6960	$24	23⅞	23⅞	+⅛
Alta Nat	600	$45½	45½	45½	+½
Alcan	9433	$39⅞	39½	39⅞	+¼
Algoma St	1681	$26⅛	26	26⅛	+⅛
Algonpr	200	56	6	6	
All Can B	7500	$5¼	5⅛	5⅛	—¼
Am Bonza	15890	$35¼	34	34½	—1
Am Larder	2500	27	27	27	
Am Eagle	22500	220	202	220	+14
Am Leduc	17999	27½	27	27	+1
Andres W A	200	$11⅞	11¾	11⅞	
Andres W B	400	$11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	+⅛
Ang CT 265	1100	31	30½	30½	—⅛
Ang CT 290	230	$32¼	32¼	32¼	
Ang CT 315	210	$36¼	36¼	36¼	
Ang U Dev	9300	325	300	320	+20
Anthes Cp	210	$69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	
Aquitaine	1402	$20⅛	20½	20⅞	+¼
Arbor C	1625	87	87	87	+1
Args 250 p	200	$33¼	33	33	—1
Args 260 p	215	$32½	32½	32½	
Argus B pr	240	$32¼	32¼	32¼	
Asemera	35750	$18⅞	17¼	18⅛	+⅛
Asbestos	1140	$46½	45½	45½	—1
Atco A	5290	$16⅞	16⅛	16⅛	+⅛
Atlas Yk	5500	39	34	34	—3
BP Can	3070	$20	19¼	19½	—1
Bannister C	7875	$9⅛	8¼	9	+¼
Bank BC	568	$37¼	37½	37½	—¼
Bank Mtl	15819	$25⅞	25½	25½	
Bank N S	8169	$23⅞	23⅛	23⅞	+¼
Bnkno	131700	208	197	200	—7
B Con Nat	2318	516	15¼	16	
Barbecon	500	513	13	13	
Barex	2000	6	6	6	+1
Bartaco	1400	290	225	225	—60
Baton B	4350	$12½	12½	12½	
Bay Mills	775	$15½	14¾	14¾	+1½
Becker B p	1445	56½	6½	6½	
Belding A	200	375	375	375	+25
Bell Canad	8559	564⅞	64⅛	64⅞	+½
Bell A pr	105	563¼	63¼	63¼	—¼
Bell 2.28	640	$32½	32¼	32½	+⅛
Bell 1.80	700	$23⅛	23¼	23⅛	+¼
Bell 1.96	6275	$28	27¼	28	—¼
Biltmore I	220	5¼	5¼	5¼	
Biltmo A p	530	56	6	6	
Bi Hawk	2200	13½	13½	13½	—½
Black P A	500	$15½	15¼	15½	+¼
Blakwod A	2000	375	360	375	
Block Bros	900	57	7	7	
Bombr	2648	$10½	10¼	10½	+¼
Bovis Cor	18275	60	59	59	
Box Valy	15700	$21⅛	20¼	21⅛	+⅛
Bralor Res	900	57½	7¼	7½	+½
Bramalea	3705	$13½	13	13⅛	+⅛
Brameda	6500	180	180	180	—1
Brascan A	11947	$16¼	16⅛	16¼	+¼
Brscn 8½	800	$27¼	27¼	27¼	
Brenda M	3075	$13¼	12¾	13¼	+½
Bright A	300	$16½	16½	16½	—¼
Brinco	3127	$6⅝	6	6⅝	+⅝
BCFP	7808	$17½	16⅞	17¼	—¼
BC Phone	1605	$17	16¾	17	+⅛
BCPh 4 p	22	$55¾	55¾	55¾	
BCPh 5.15	260	$64	63½	63½	
BCPh 5½ p	100	$69	69	69	—1
BCPh 6.80	200	$21	21	21	+¾
Broul Reef	1700	33	33	33	
Brunswk	13300	55½	5⅛	5½	+⅜
Budd Auto	435	$9¾	9½	9⅝	
Budd A w	600	190	190	190	
C					
CC Yachts	200	265	265	265	—10
CAE A	100	$19½	19½	19½	
Cad Fry	1324	$9¾	9⅝	9¾	+¼
Cad Fry A	435	$10⅛	10	10	
Cal Pow A	1885	$39⅞	39⅝	39⅞	+½
Cal P 10.0	30	$113	113	113	+2
Cal P 9.80	10	$107	107	107	—¼
Cal P 2.36	500	$28	28	28	+½
Cal P 8¾	50	$106½	106½	106½	+⅜
Calvrt Dlr	2000	245	240	245*	
Calvert	27500	45	43	43	—2
Cam Mine	25000	26	24½	25	—½
Camflo	3940	$13⅛	13½	13½	—⅜
C Chib A	7300	55	480	5	+15
Camp RL	195	537	37	37	—1
Can Cem A	1083	$12¾	12⅝	12¾	+⅛
CCF C p	100	$15½	15½	15½	
CDL pr B	235	$104¼	104¼	104¼	+½
Can Malt A	3600	$31⅝	31½	31⅝	—⅛
C Nor West	16928	$10	9¾	9⅞	—⅛
C Pakrs C	100	521	21	21	
Can Perm	1150	$17½	16⅞	17	
CPerm 6¾	1000	$24¼	24½	24½	
CS Pete	53200	55	490	5	
Can Trust A	140	524	24	24	
C Trust 7¼	1750	521	21	21	—⅛
Cdn Arrow	z25	13	13	13	
C Cablesv A	200	$16½	16½	16½	
C Cable w	1200	40	40	40	+3
Cdn Cel	1850	$8¼	8⅛	8⅛	—⅜
CC Man A	1165	$26	25½	25½	—½
C Curtis	2300	65	65	65	
C Formost	380	$7½	7½	7½	—¼
CGE	500	$28¼	28	28¼	—½
CG Invest	100	$21½	21½	21½	
C Hidrogas	3017	400	400	400	
C Homestd	3900	59⅞	9⅞	9½	
C Hydro	310	$11½	11½	11½	—1
C Hydro pr	200	$13¼	13¼	13¼	—¼
Cl Bk Com	7618	$29	28¾	28⅞	—⅜
Cl Powr A	51000	175	150	150	—25
C Lencour	5000	10	10	10	
CLI Pete	1000	71	71	71	
C Manoir A	1000	55⅛	5¼	5¼	
C Marconi	206	58⅞	8¼	8¼	
C Merrill	300	$20⅞	20⅝	20⅝	—1⅛
CNat R	9300	330	315	325	+5
C Occdental	700	$18⅞	18½	18½	
C Oconti p	800	528	28	28	
CP Inve	1952	$23⅞	23⅝	23⅝	—¼
CP Invepr	250	$16½	16½	16½	
CP Ltd	17345	524	23¼	23⅞	
C Reserve	6200	$13⅞	13⅝	13¾	+⅛
Cdn Sup O	3252	$71¾	70¾	71¾	+¾
Cdn Tire	255	523	23	23	+½
Cdn Tire A	14502	524⅝	24½	24½	
C Utilities	2650	$16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	—¼
CU 10¼	100	$27½	27½	27½	+½
C Util 9.24	100	$27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	—⅜
CWN G 4 pr	190	$10½	10½	10½	+¼
Candel Oil	256	525	25	25	
Canray	16650	188	185	188	+3
Canron A	1740	527	27	27	—¼
Cara	1800	572¼	72¼	72¼	+⅛
Carl OK	5610	450	435	445	+5
Carl Ap	100	$27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	+⅛
Carma A	3290	510	9½	9½	—½
Carma 8.75	150	$19½	19½	19½	—½
Carrier JD	1500	245	242	245	—30
Car	1200	100	100	100	—3
Cassiar	12935	59⅞	9¼	9¼	
Cassidy L	500	55⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
Celanese	2650	355	350	350	—5
Celan 375 p	1025	$18¼	18⅛	18¼	—⅜
Ctl Fund A	1500	55¼	5¼	5¼	+¼
Cent Pat	1500	135	135	135	+5
Centurion	100	380	380	380	—10
Chmctr	3667	216	215	215	
Charter Oil	3633	214	205	205	—10
Chib Kay	8000	8½	8⅛	8½	+½
Chieftan D	2000	$26⅞	25⅞	26⅞	+1⅛
Chieftain p	200	$100	100	100	+4
Chimo	5000	115	115	115	
Chrysler	9405	$10⅛	9⅞	9⅞	—⅛
CHUM	260	$11¼	11¼	11¼	
CHUM B	300	$12¼	12	12¼	+¼
Coch Will	10066	53	51	51	—1
Cockfield	21	460	460	460	
Coin Lake	10000	10	10	10	
Comb Met	73000	40	36	36	—3
Cominco	18269	$31	30½	31	+½
Cominco A	700	$27½	27½	27½	
Com Cap	4426	97½	7¼	7¼	
ComCap Tr	21	512	12	12	
C Holiday I	1050	571¼	71¼	71¼	
Computel	100	56¼	6¼	6¼	+¼
Comtech	100	275	275	275	+24
Conuco Ltd	600	55¼	5½	5½	—⅛
Con Bath A	2938	$13¾	13¼	13¼	—⅜
Con Bath p	570	$19½	19½	19½	
Con Fardy	6000	270	266	270	+1
C Durham	19500	128	123	127	+1
C Marben	1500	43	43	43	
C Morisn	6800	149	143	145	—1
Cons Prof	36552	26	25	26	
C Rambler	7000	160	153	160	
Con Textile	1600	360	350	360	+5
Con Distrb	11480	516	15¼	15½	—⅛
Cons Gas	11664	$18⅛	18	18⅛	
Con Gas B	27	$75½	75½	75½	
Con Gas D	1100	$24½	24½	24½	
Con Glass	300	$24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	—⅛
Control F	600	495	490	495	—5
Conwest	1200	55¼	5⅛	5⅛	
Cooper C	100	57⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Cop Fields	2300	375	375	375	+5
Corby vt	22	$24½	24½	24½	
Corby B	102	$23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	—⅛
Coseka R	12700	55½	5⅛	5⅜	+⅛
Costain Ltd	200	$11	11	11	—½
Craigmt	8800	55½	5¼	5⅜	—⅛
Crestbrk	400	59⅞	9½	9½	
Crwn Life	421	558¼	58	58	
C Zelrba A	200	$21¼	21½	21¼	+⅛
Crush Intl	1700	$11⅛	11	11⅛	—⅛
Cuvier M	12300	39	37	39	—1
Cyprus	300	59½	9½	9½	
Czar Res	87300	$8⅛	7⅝	8⅛	+⅜
D to G					
DRG Ltd A	600	55½	5½	5½	
Dale-R	1000	513	13	13	+⅛
Dalmy C	200	57½	7½	7½	
Dson Dev	1400	514	13¼	13¼	
Dson A	500	57⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
Dson 8⅝ p	830	58⅛	8⅛	8⅛	+⅛
D Eldona	3800	109	107	108	+1
Denison	4061	572	71¼	72	+1
Dicknsn	2600	56¼	5⅞	6	—⅛
Digtech	400	230	230	230	
Discovry	1000	85	85	85	
Doman I	1430	57	6⅞	6⅞	—⅛
Dome Mine	254	588	88	88	+½
Dome Pete	30873	592⅞	90	92¼	+3¼
D Bridge	29175	$29¼	29¼	29¼	+⅛
D Citrs A	400	55⅞	5⅞	5⅞	+¼
DExplor	14200	18½	17	17	—1½
Dofasco A	5171	$31	30½	31	+¼
Dofasco p	100	565	65	65	
Dom Store	1400	$16¼	16¼	16¼	
D Textile A	4825	$11¾	11⅜	11¾	+⅛
Domtar	3005	$24⅛	23⅞	23⅞	—¼
Dover pr	z17	567⅞	67⅞	67⅞	
Dunde Pal	4000	34	32	33½	—½
Du Pont	625	$15½	15⅜	15⅜	—¼
Dustbane	100	58	8	8	
Dylex Ltd	100	$14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	+⅛
Dylex L A	2105	$13½	13¼	13¼	—¼
Dynamar	12100	140	132	137	+2
E-L Fin	676	$13	12⅞	12⅞	—⅛
E-L Fin w	10676	130	100	110	
East Mal	4951	200	195	195	
East Sul A	5410	185	170	170	
Estn Prov	1500	56¼	6⅝	6¼	
Econ Inv p	z10	$29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	
Ego Res	20700	$5⅜	5⅛	5⅛	—⅛
Electro K	2100	35	32	32	+1
Elbm A	2800	380	375	380	+5
Elks Shors	900	511	10¼	10⅞	—⅛
Emco	200	58	8	8	+½
Exquisite	100	295	295	295	
Falcon C	6550	56½	6¼	6½	+⅛
Fibrg Nik A	2662	$29½	28½	29½	+⅞
Fed Ind A	2550	56	5½	5¾	+⅜
Fidelity Tr	200	435	435	435	
Fidelty Trp	100	$19¼	19¼	19¼	—⅛
Fidelty Tr	300	$24¾	24⅝	24¾	+¼
Finning T	100	$11¼	11¼	11¼	—⅛
F Cty Tr A	1050	$12¼	12¼	12¼	+¼
F Cty Tr B	758	59	9	9	
F Cty Tr C	14960	58	8	8	
F Mar	2500	47	47	47	
Fittings A	240	542	42	42	
Foodex p	3300	58⅛	8⅛	8⅛	
Ford Cnda	850	568½	67½	68½	+1¼
F Sea A pr	100	58¼	8¼	8¼	—⅛
Francana	6700	$11⅛	10⅞	11	—⅛
Fraser A	100	$13¾	13¾	13¾	+¾
G&H Steel	3800	250	240	250	
G M Res	3931	370	350	370	+10
GSW Cl A	300	56½	6½	6½	
Galfaco A	22	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
Gaz Metr	100	55¼	5¼	5¼	—⅛
Gaz 5.40 p	200	556	56	56	+⅛
Gaz 5½ p	435	558	58	58	+1
G Distrb A	9350	57¼	7	7	
G Distrb w	1100	192	185	192	+7
GMC	611	565	64½	64¼	+¼
Genstar L	5427	$35¼	34⅞	35¼	+⅜
Gesco Dis	1400	320	305	320	—5
Giant Yk	500	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	—⅛
Gibraltar	7300	55⅞	5½	5⅞	+¼
Glendale	2100	62	62	62	
Goldund M	25263	55	50	52	—2
Goodyear	300	$16½	16½	16½	—½
Granduc	10225	63	57	61	+6
Gt Oil Sds	650	59½	9⅜	9½	
G L Nickl	5200	47	45	47	+2
GL Paper	1350	$38½	38	38½	+¼
GL Pap w	1000	57⅞	7¾	7¾	+⅜
GN Fin	2100	160	160	160	
GN Fin r	2800	9	7	9	+2
Gt West S	7750	250	243	243	+3
G West wt	2400	52	52	52	
G Goose A	z50	58½	8½	8½	
G Goose 9¾	200	$10½	10½	10½	—½
Greyhnd C	200	300	300	300	—25
Greyhnd	1500	$19½	19½	19½	—⅛
Gulf Can	6464	$36¼	35⅝	36⅛	+⅜
Gulfstrem	68028	41	37½	40	+3
H to L					
HCI Hldg	100	59¾	9¾	9¾	+¾
HCI Hld w	200	56½	6½	6½	
Halifax D	300	265	265	265	—10
H Group A	2350	380	360	360	—10
Hardee	1500	76	76	76	
Hard Crp A	4862	295	290	290	
Hard Crp C	700	263	260	260	
Harlequin	10255	$14⅛	14⅛	14½	+⅛
Harris J A	927	57⅛	7	7⅛	+⅛
Hatleigh A	3005	55⅞	5¾	5¾	—¼
Hatleigh B	4572	56⅛	6	6	
Hawker A	7400	58½	8½	8½	
Hawker pr	135	$68⅞	68⅞	68⅞	—1⅛
Hayes D A	600	59¼	9½	9½	—½
Hedway A	300	435	435	435	+5
Highmont	10000	165	156	165	+5
Holinger A	1201	539	38¾	38¾	—¼
Home A	750	544⅞	44⅞	44⅞	+¼
Home B	300	541¼	41¼	41¼	+1¼
H Bramor	500	350	340	340	—45
Hud Bay A	3065	$19½	19¼	19¼	—⅜
H Bay Co	13497	$20½	20	20	—½
HB Oil Gas	3395	$51¼	51	51¼	
Hu-Pam	2500	23	22	23	+3
Husky Oil	1700	543	42½	42½	
Husky A pr	210	$39½	39½	39½	
Husky E w	200	$23½	23	23½	
Hydra Ex	275	36	36	36	
Hy's Ltd	500	330	330	330	+20
IAC	3770	$17⅞	17⅜	17⅞	
ITL Ind	325	370	360	370	+10
IU Intl	13320	$12⅛	11⅞	12⅛	+⅛
Imasco A	220	$39¼	39¼	39¼	+⅜
Imasco Ap	1900	360	360	360	
Imasco Sp	200	$38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	+⅛
Imp Gen	800	$22½	22	22	
Imp Oil A	15071	$23⅞	23½	23⅞	
INCO A	49284	$17¼	17⅜	17¼	
INCO B	1455	$17¼	17⅜	17¼	+⅛
Inco 7.85	100	$24¼	24¼	24¼	
Indal	1200	512½	12½	12½	+⅛
Indusmin	100	$13½	13½	13½	
Inland Gas	1200	$10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	—⅛
Inter-City	6050	57⅞	7¼	7⅞	
Inter C B p	100	520	20	20	
Inter C B w	2000	55	490	490	—10
Int Div	2500	280	275	275	+7
Intrmetco	500	$10⅛	10¼	10¼	—¼
IBM	206	$335	331	335	+3
Int Mogul	603	55⅛	5¼	5⅛	
Int Pipe A	10337	516	15⅞	16	
Iusco	18522	$20½	19	20¼	+1¾
Inv Grp A	323	$10¼	10¼	10¼	—¾
Irwin T A	3630	380	375	375	—5
Island Tel	959	516	16	16	
ISO	2100	185	180	184	+4
Ivaco A	6520	$11½	11	11	—⅜
Ivaco 8.85	725	551	50¼	50¼	
J Q Res	500	61	61	61	
Jannock A	1257	$20½	20⅛	20½	+½
Jannock B	z17	$20¾	20¼	20¼	
Jannock 8	5978	514	14	14	—¼
Jannock w	2518	$11½	11⅜	11½	+½
Jorex Ltd	1750	28	26	28	
Joutel	30700	24	20½	23	+3
Kaiser Re	9550	$16¾	16	16⅛	
Kam Kotia	16700	430	420	430	+10
Kaps Tran	32565	108	105	108	+3
Keen Ind	2800	30	24	30	+10
Kelly D A	200	$7⅞	7¾	7⅞	+⅛
Kelsey H	300	$20½	20½	20½	
Kerr A A	4727	$11¼	11	11¼	+⅛
K Anacon	z162	15	15	15	
La Luz	400	58½	8½	8½	+½
Labatt A	8142	$20½	20	20	—⅛
Labatt A p	375	$19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	—⅛
Lab Min	125	$38½	38½	38½	
Lacana	11200	$57⅞	57½	57⅞	+⅜
Lacana w	4100	415	400	410	+10
Laidlaw A	1900	$17½	17⅛	17½	+¼
LOnt Cem	700	55	5	5	
L Shore	1210	261	261	261	—4
Lambd M	1000	290	290	290	+15
Lamb M A	1000	290	290	290	—35
Lasltr Km	z100	58	58	58	
Laurasia	5700	28	26½	28	+2½
Lau Fin	5470	59⅞	9¾	9⅞	
Lau F 1.25	200	$18¼	18¼	18¼	
Lau F 2.00	145	$34⅜	34⅜	34⅜	+⅛
Leigh Inst	3175	58	7¾	7¾	
Leons Frn	400	$13½	13½	13½	—⅛
Liberian	100	563¼	63¼	63¼	
LL Lac	1200	249	245	249	+5
Lob Co A	1000	460	460	460	
Lob Co B	1125	425	425	425	
Lob Ltd Ap	z28	$18¼	18¼	18¼	
Lob Ltd Bp	270	$19⅛	19	19⅛	—⅛
Lochiel	12700	280	265	265	—7
Loeb M	300	58¼	8¼	8¼	+¼
Lytton M	2000	25	25	25	
M to O					
MDS Heith	100	57½	7½	7½	+¼
MICC	2600	510	9⅞	10	
MICC A	100	$26½	26½	26½	+⅛
MTS Inter	1000	27	27	27	+1
Maclarn A	600	$45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	+⅛
Mclan H A	10293	$20½	20	20⅛	+⅛
MB Ltd	15122	$21¾	21¼	21¾	+¼
Madeline	3700	57	55	57	+2
Madsen	1300	83	83	83	—2
Magna A	1128	$13½	13¼	13½	+⅛
Magna B	100	$14½	14½	14½	+½
Magnason	200	270	270	270	—5
Magnetcs	9320	150	141	141	—4
Mahr p	200	57½	7½	7½	
Maistc Wil	7200	280	268	280	+10
Malartic	3650	79	72	79	+4
M L Mills	100	$21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	—⅞
Maptex M	100	58	8	8	
Maritime	238	$23¼	23	23¼	+¼
Mar T 765	1750	$10½	10⅜	10⅜	
Mass Fer	49781	$11⅛	9¾	10⅜	+⅞
Mas F A	14995	$17⅛	16⅜	16¾	+⅜
Mas F B	13993	517	16⅞	16⅞	+⅞
Matchan	1000	15	15	15	—½
Matgmi A	2320	$15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	
Mc Adam	2500	26	25½	26	
McGraw H	300	58¾	8¾	8¾	—¼
Mc Intyre	2015	524	23½	24	+½
McLaghlin	1356	57	6⅞	6⅞	—⅛
McLghl 9 p	2460	519	18	18	—¾
Melcor	100	512	12	12	
Mentor	23300	300	290	295	—5
Mercantil	8129	$14⅛	14	14	—¼
Merland E	10510	59⅞	8⅞	8⅞	—¼
Minrl Res	z30	165	165	165	
Moffat A

Losers win $11.8 million

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail says the losers in a battle for control of Argus Corp. Ltd. of Toronto earlier this year will receive about $11.8 million in a negotiated settlement with Conrad Black and his stockholder brother, Montagu Black.

The newspaper says the money, the amount of which is based on valuing the rarely-traded common shares of Argus at $42.50, will be paid to interests associated with Toronto financier Maxwell Meighen for their 26-per-cent share interest in Ravelston Corp. Ltd.

Ravelston is the privately-owned investment company that has majority voting control of Argus.

The newspaper said an announcement is expected this week.

The $42.50 valuation is about $4 higher than the one used when the Black family bought majority control of Ravelston from the estates of two former Argus principals, J. A. (Bud) McDougald and Eric Phillips, in July.

Meighen was Argus chairman from April to July. His chairmanship ended in a power struggle that began shortly after McDougald, former Argus chairman, died in March.

Argus shares reached a record $43 on the Toronto Stock Exchange earlier this year. The last trade reported on the exchange was at $37.50.

PRIME TO CLIMB?

NEW YORK (AP) — Another general increase in the prime interest rate—and eventually in rates charged small businesses and consumers—is expected to follow Wednesday's increase in the rate charged by Chemical Bank.

Chemical raised its prime interest rate—the rate for its best corporate customers—to 11¾ per cent from 11½ per cent.

Chemical Bank's decision followed by one day a signal that the Federal Reserve System, which oversees the banking industry, may intend to boost pressure on money markets to defend the sagging U.S. dollar in currency markets abroad and dampen inflation at home.

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Flax					
Dec	275.00	278.10	275.00	276.50	277.00
May	285.50	286.90	285.50	286.00	286.50
Jly	285.00	286.00	285.00	285.00	286.00
Rapeseed Vancouver					
Jan	308.50	309.00	308.50	308.50	310.80
Mar	307.00	308.00	306.30	307.50	308.00
Jun	302.00	304.00	302.00	303.80	304.00
Barley					
Dec	74.50	74.60	74.50	74.50	74.50
Mar	76.20	76.40	76.00	76.30	76.20
May	76.50	76.70	76.30	76.60	76.50
Oats					
Dec	89.80	89.80	89.60	89.80	89.70
Mar	81.80	82.30	81.60	82.20	81.70
May	79.20	80.00	79.20	79.70	79.40
Feed Wheat					
Dec	108.00	109.40	108.00	108.70	108.50
Mar	98.80	99.30	98.60	99.30	99.40
May	95.00	95.20	95.00	95.20	94.80
Rye					
Dec	—	—	—	91.50	93.40
May	100.00	100.00	98.00	98.00	99.90
Jly	—	—	—	100.00	102.70

CHICAGO

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Wheat					
Mar	3.44½	3.44½	3.41½	3.42	—.04¼
May	3.35	3.35	3.32½	3.33	—.04¼
Jul	3.22½	3.23	3.20	3.21¼	—.02¼
Corn					
Mar	2.32½	2.32¼	2.31¼	2.31½	—.01½
May	2.41	2.41¼	2.40	2.40	—.01½
Jul	2.46¼	2.47¼	2.45½	2.45¾	—.01½
Oats					
Mar	1.39	1.09	1.35	1.36¼	—.03¼
May	1.46½	1.46½	1.43¼	1.43½	—.03¾
Jul	1.51¼	1.51¼	1.48¾	1.49	—.03¼
Soybeans					
Jan	6.97	7.06	6.96	6.96½	—.06
Mar	7.11	7.20	7.10	7.10¼	—.06
May	7.20	7.27	7.19	7.19¼	—.05¼
Soybean Oil					
Jan		25.85	25.40	25.62	— .15
Mar		25.90	25.40	25.62	— .10
May		25.70	25.15	25.47	
Soybean Meal					
Jan		196.80	195.00	195.10	—2.10
Mar		196.00	194.00	194.50	—1.50
May		193.50	192.00	192.50	—1.00

Commodities

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge.
Copper, New York (per 100 lbs.)					
Dec	69.00	69.10	69.00	69.05	+0.15
Jan	69.10	69.30	69.00	69.15	+0.15
Feb	69.90	69.90	69.90	69.95	—
Silver, New York (per 100 oz.)					
Dec	600.00	601.80	599.50	598.80	—2.80
Jan	601.00	605.80	601.00	600.80	—2.90
Mar	608.00	611.00	607.00	607.50	—3.00
Lumber, Chicago (per 1,000 b.f.)					
Jan	224.50	228.50	224.10	227.10	+2.80
Mar	211.50	213.80	209.80	212.20	—
May	200.50	202.00	198.80	200.50	— .60
Plywood, Chicago (per 1,000 sq. ft.)					
Jan	211.40	212.40	209.90	212.20	+.60
Mar	208.00	209.40	206.90	209.00	+.40
May	206.50	206.70	205.00	206.30	—.20
Porkbellies, Chicago (per 100 lbs.)					
Feb	59.50	59.95	58.70	59.70	—.90
Mar	58.70	59.20	58.02	58.90	—1.12
May	60.02	60.05	58.90	59.55	—1.12
Gold, Chicago (per oz.)					
Dec	217.90	217.90	215.90	215.90	—5.00
Mar	222.50	222.50	219.40	219.60	—6.00
Jun	227.70	228.20	225.30	225.50	—5.80
Gold, Winnipeg (per oz.)					
Jan	—	—	—	215.90a	220.10b
Apr	224.00	224.20b	221.70a	222.20	226.30a
Jly	230.00	230.00	227.80a	227.90b	232.50a

Options

Closing prices of all traded options. Sales unit is 100 shares. (Trans-Canada options combine Montreal and Toronto exchange option trading):

Options		Vol	Int	Last	Close
Abitibi	Fb 15	32	582	$3¾	$18⅞
Abitibi	Fb 17½	51	797	$2⅜	$18⅞
Abitibi	Fb 20	10	544	100	$18⅞
Abitibi	My 17½	11	340	$3	$18⅞
Abitibi	My 20	25	229	145	$18⅞
Abitibi	Ag 17½	2	20	$3¾	$18⅞
Alcan	Fb 32½	5	97	$7⅜	$39⅞
Alcan	Fb 35	10	123	$5	$39⅞
Alcan	My 40	2	228	$3	$39⅞
Alcan	Ag 40	1	55	$4⅝	$39⅞
Asama	Ja 12½	5	196	$6	$18⅝
Asama	Ja 15	40	402	$4	$18⅝
Asama	Ja 17½	68	877	170	$18⅝
Asama	Ja 20	78	1298	65	$18⅝
Asama	Ja 22½	60	1079	30	$18⅝
Asama	Jl 25	2	282	10	$18⅝
Asama	Ap 15	5	156	$5	$18⅝
Asama	Ap 20	48	877	$2⅝	$18⅝
Asama	Ap 22½	24	451	390	$18⅝
Asama	Ap 25	16	458	135	$18⅝
Asama	Jy 17½	3	141	$4¾	$18⅝
Asama	Jy 20	10	244	$3⅜	$18⅝
Bell Can	My 60	1	31	$5¼	$64¾
Bell Can	My 65	10	113	170	$64¾
Brscn A	My 17½	55	1096	95	$16¼
Brscn A	Ag 17½	6	54	135	$16¼
Bk Mtl	Fb 25	5	1934	110	$25⅝
Bk Mtl	Fb 27½	1	1	25	$25⅝
Bk Mtl	My 25	13	1334	195	$25⅝
Bk Mtl	My 27½	7	27	25	$25⅝
CP Ltd	Fb 22½	10	469	170	$23⅞
CP Ltd	Fb 25	12	683	60	$23⅞
CP Ltd	My 25	10	446	150	$23⅞
Dom M	Ja 95	5	8	$2	$88
Dom M	Ja 100	3	7	100	$88
Dom M	Jy 80	1	3	$18	$88
D Pete	Ja 60	2	91	$32	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 70	7	188	$22	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 75	12	83	$19¼	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 80	14	178	$13¼	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 85	47	161	$9	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 90	77	233	$5	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 95	13	97	$3	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 100	50	162	180	$92¾
D Pete	Ja 110	5	134	50	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 70	3	111	$25½	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 75	4	44	$20¼	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 80	8	53	$17½	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 85	1	39	$14	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 90	2	39	$11	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 95	1	50	$9	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 100	78	133	$6½	$92¾
D Pete	Ap 110	6	85	$3½	$92¾
D Pete	Jy 75	8	50	$26	$92¾
D Pete	Jy 85	6	39	$19½	$92¾
D Pete	Jy 90	7	39	$16	$92¾
Gulf C	Fb 30	2	23	$6¼	$36⅛
Gulf C	Fb 35	4	186	195	$36⅛
Gulf C	My 35	3	67	$2¼	$36⅛
Husky	Ja 50	20	205	30	$42½
IOil A	Fb 20	2	628	$3¾	$23¾
IOil A	Fb 22½	45	862	175	$23¾
IOil A	Fb 25	44	806	65	$23¾
IOil A	My 22½	20	529	$2⅝	$23¾
IOil A	My 25	11	549	150	$23¾
Labat A	Ap 20	2	12	140	$20
Labat A	Ap 22½	5	57	55	$20
MB Ltd	Fb 20	10	303	$2¼	$21¾
MB Ltd	Fb 25	20	489	30	$21¾
MB Ltd	My 20	5	156	$3¼	$21¾
MB Ltd	My 25	10	334	110	$21¾
Mas F	Fb 10	21	48	150	$10⅝
Mas F	Fb 12½	7	206	40	$10⅝
Mas F	Fb 15	5	292	10	$10⅝
Mas F	My 10	8	116	$2⅛	$10⅝
Mas F	My 12½	4	280	85	$10⅝
Mas F	My 15	10	226	25	$10⅝
INCO A	Fb 17½	5	414	165	$17¾
INCO A	Fb 20	53	1431	70	$17¾
INCO A	Fb 22½	8	835	25	$17¾
INCO A	My 17½	21	299	$2⅝	$17¾
INCO A	My 20	40	556	145	$17¾
INCO A	My 22½	35	258	85	$17¾
INCO A	Ag 17½	14	240	$3¼	$17¾
Norcn	Fb 15	2	1069	$3⅜	$17⅝
Norcn	Fb 17½	195	5189	155	$17⅝
Norcn	Fb 20	51	2307	75	$17⅝
Norcn	My 15	5	490	$3⅞	$17⅝
Norcn	My 17½	47	1527	$2⅞	$17⅝
Norcn	My 20	15	539	125	$17⅝
Norcn	Ag 17½	103	337	$2⅞	$17⅝
Norcn	Ag 20	9	260	165	$17⅝
Noran A	Fb 32½	2	44	$4½	$36⅜
Noran A	Fb 35	78	277	$2⅞	$36⅜
Noran A	Fb 40	5	118	90	$36⅜
Noran A	My 35	5	228	$4¼	$36⅜
Nor Tel	Ja 30	2	14	$7¼	$36⅞
Nor Tel	Ja 32½	1	21	$5	$36⅞
Pac P	Fb 40	3	283	$21¾	$61¼
Pac P	Fb 45	258	413	$17	$61¼
Rov Bk	Ap 40	20	82	125	$37½
Shell C	My 15	10	216	195	$15¼
Shell C	Ag 17½	5	46	100	$15¼
Stlco A	Fb 27½	25	516	110	$27¾
Stlco A	My 27½	14	224	190	$27¾
Stlco A	Ag 25	1	25	$3⅞	$27¾
Stlco A	Ag 27½	5	27	$2¼	$27¾
Segrm	Ja 30	5	165	$2	$31¼
Segrm	Ja 32½	3	40	60	$31¼

Total volume 2301.
Total open interest 60207.

Mutual funds

TORONTO (CP)—Recent prices of investment funds supplied by The Investment Funds Institute of Canada Wednesday. They are the net asset value per share or unit (NAVPS) last circulated by the fund in accordance with its pricing practice as contained in the prospectus of the fund. n—no sales charge. x—U.S. Fund. y—delayed NAVPS, xd—ex-dividend.

Institute Members			
AGF Group		RoyFnd Inc	4.99
Amer Grwth	5.35	**Universal Group**	
Cdn Gs Egy	20.82	Equity	11.14
Cdn Sec Gth	7.17	Income	5.00
Cdn Trusteed	4.53	Internatnl	4.99
Corp Invest	6.46	Resource	5.60
Corp Inv Stk	7.16	**Non-Members**	
Grwth Equity	10.82	Assoc Inv	6.64
Japan	15.99	yBeaubran	4.78
nMoney Mkt	10.00	**CSA Mgmt Gr**	
Special	5.14	Goldfund	4.37
All Canadian Grp		Goldtrust	2.76
Compound	7.04	**Canagex Gr**	
Dividend	7.65	yBond	9.47
Northn Egy	4.57	Fund	11.90
Revenue Gth	4.22	Internatnl	9.32
4000	4.68	yMortgage	10.15
Bolton Tremblay		Capital Grth	13.05
xdCda Cumul	8.11	xChase	6.21
xdInternatl	8.13	ynComCp Mtg	9.86
Pld Resources	5.91	**Desjardins Gr**	
Taurus	8.91	yCanadian	8.63
Calvin Bullock Gr		yHypotheq	4.36
Acrofund	1.51	yInternatnl	9.97
Banner Fund	4.96	yObligatns	5.08
CIF	4.88	yQuebec	4.51
Cambridge Group		nySpec	7.20
Intl Energy	2.97	**Dixon, Krog**	7.91
Intl Growth	5.02	Heritage	2.45
Intl Income	3.87	Vanguard	7.91
Nat Res Gth	4.73	yDomin Comp	9.26
Univest	6.28	yDomin Equit	10.09
Growth	8.01	**Dreyfus Group**	
Ciag Inv Group		yxInc	12.13
vnCo-opera	11.22	yxInternatl	15.35
vnLdmk GF	12.16	**ynDynamic**	11.26
Confed Group		nExecutv Can	7.56
Dolphin Egty	6.28	nExecutv Intl	1.46
yDolphin Inc	5.02	xFid Trend	22.02
Cundill Value	5.94	nFst Cdn Mtg	10.29
Eaton Bay Group		FIscon Fund	5.94
Commwth	19.99	nHarvard	8.28
Dividend	5.07	**Industrial Gr**	
Growth	12.62	Indust Amer	3.15
Income	4.47	Indust Div	6.50
Internatnl	13.04	Indust Eq	8.86
Leverage	5.90	Indust Gth	5.79
Venture	5.76	Indust Incm	10.50
Viking	6.03	Indust Pens	34.58
Guaranty Trust Gr		ynJns Heward	5.49
vninv Equity	8.74	**Keystone Gr**	
vninv Income	4.28	Cus K-2	4.98
vnMortgage	9.95	Cus S-1	17.15
Guardian Group		Cus S-4	4.66
Enterprise	1.07	Polaris	3.17
GIS Comp	13.39	xLex Rsrch	14.53
GIS Income	3.67	xManhatn	2.54
vGwth Fnd	12.87	yMaritime Eq	2.84
North Amer	5.14	Marlborough	7.13
Mutual Acu	6.93	**vNA Trst BT**	9.82
Mutual Inc	5.65	**NW Group**	
Sec Income	9.55	Canadian	5.59
World Equity	7.67	Equity	9.38
Investors Group		xOne Wm St	14.48
vDividend	7.51	xOppenhmr	5.83
vGrowth	12.26	**Pemberton Gr**	
vInternatnl	6.85	nPacific Div	6.81
vJapan	15.97	nPacific Ret	5.60
vMortgage	4.88	nPacific US	5.36
vMutual	5.83	**PHN Group**	
vProvidt Stk	5.94	vBond	10.28
vRetiremnt	6.78	vCanadian	10.70
Planned Invest Gr		vDiv Income	10.93
Cda Cumul	8.11	Fund	20.02
Pld Resourc	5.91	vPooled	35.76
Taurus	8.91	nyRRSP	15.82
Pret et Revenu Gr		**PMF Managmnt**	
American	11.24	nPension Mu	7.29
Canadien	7.67	nXanadu Fnd	4.69
Fonds H	4.92	nPutnam	10.72
Retraite	8.02	**Sterling Group**	
Principal Gr		Equity	6.88
Collective	8.53	yMortgage	5.01
Growth	5.87	xTech	8.08
Venture	4.40	Temple Gth	18.49
Prudential Gr		yTradex	14.63
Growth	6.86	**Trans Canada Gr**	
Income	5.21	A	5.63
Savings Invest Gr		B	59.89
American	11.24	C	11.45
Canadian	7.67	**United Group**	
H Fund	4.92	vAccumula	4.52
Retiremnt	8.02	vAccumula R	5.87
Scotiafund Gr		vAmerican	1.71
Scotiafund	1.09	vCont Mortg	5.09
Scotiafd Mtg	1.03	vHorizon	3.04
United Bond Share		vSecurity	4.67
RoyFund	7.68	vVenture	3.28
		vVenture Ret	5.78
		Western Grth	5.71

Alberta

Complete tabulation of Wednesday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Acroll	2312	110	110	110	+5
Barons	34500	12	12	12	—1
Bashaw	11000	11	10	11	
Cal West	7700	30	27	27	—3
Can Obas	7300	350	335	345	+15
Clearport	1200	380	370	370	—5
Cochrane	502	325	310	325	+25
Concept	5000	380	370	380	+10
Conventur	23150	$8½	7⅞	8½	+¼
Cultus Pac	1500	40	40	40	—2
Dixie	16000	20	20	20	—10
Flag	1000	55	55	55	
Flin Flon	7500	75	70	75	+5
Gold Lake	1000	130	130	130	—10
Gulch	1000	190	190	190	—25
Helgena	9000	130	115	130	+5
Highfield	400	300	300	300	
Kintla	19000	52			

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CLOSING AVERAGES

	IN	UT	BA	CO	PA
Chge	—1.05	+0.73	—0.95	—0.62	—2.05
Wed	213.22	193.69	304.80	220.05	151.76
Pr clo	214.27	192.96	305.75	220.67	153.81
Wk ago	216.24	196.74	309.31	223.25	154.58
Mth ago	206.87	187.47	283.79	212.16	141.69
78 hi	233.20	199.31	313.63	228.01	163.16
78 lo	162.70	135.94	228.01	170.78	90.88

Volume 664,275

Metals

LONDON (AP) — Closing metals Wednesday in pounds sterling a metric ton; silver in pence a troy ounce:

Copper spot 773.5-774.5; copper future 790.5-791.

Tin spot 6,980-6,990; tin future 6,925-6,970.

Lead spot 424-425.5; lead future 405-405.5.

Zinc spot 341-341.5; zinc future 351.5-352.

Silver spot 297.2-297.4; silver future 305.1-305.2.

Bonds

TORONTO (CP) — Prices were generally lower in active trading on the Canadian bond market Wednesday. The short end of the market was off 10 cents. Mid-, long-term, and provincial issues declined one-eighth of a point. Corporate issues were unchanged. Day-to-day money was available at 10½ per cent.

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Dividends

Abitibi Paper Co. Ltd., 25 cents plus special 15-cent dividend, both Feb. 1, record Dec. 29.

B.C. Sugar Refinery, 25 cents pfd., Jan. 29, record Jan. 5.

Bell Canada, $3.34 pfd., 83 cents, Feb. 15, record Jan. 15; $1.05 on $4.23 pfd., March 1, record Feb. 1.

Cochrane-Dunlop Ltd., five cents, Feb 15, record Jan. 31.

Compro Ltd., $1.10 pfd., 27½ cents, March 1, record Feb. 16.

Equitrust Mortgage and Savings Co., 5.5 cents plus year-end extra of three cents, Jan. 15, record Dec. 31.

Dominion Textile Co. Ltd., 17 cents; 7-per-cent pfd., $1.75, both Jan. 15, record Jan. 4.

Maclean-Hunter Ltd. 17½ cents Class A, Jan. 30, record Jan. 5.

Maple Leaf Gardens Ltd., 25 cents, Jan. 15, record Jan. 2.

Provincial Bank of Canada, 28 cents, Feb. 1, record Dec. 29.

Reader's Digest Assn., 10 cents, Jan. 12, record Jan. 3.

Trizec Corp. Ltd., 27.5 cents, Jan. 31, record Jan. 15.

United Canadian Shares Ltd., 20 cents, Feb. 1, record Jan. 15.

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U.S. dollar does better

NEW YORK (AP) — The U.S. dollar scored late gains against most major foreign currencies Wednesday in New York after turning in a mixed showing on European and Asian foreign exchange markets. Trading was slow.

The price of gold was mixed, rising in Zurich and falling in London.

The U.S. Federal Reserve and foreign central banks were reported to have intervened in support of the dollar throughout the day in Europe and New York, although one New York dealer said they bought only "small amounts" of the U.S. currency.

Chemical Bank's announcement that it boosted its prime lending rate ¼-point to 11¾ per cent also helped bolster the dollar, dealers said.

Increases in domestic interest rates may strengthen the dollar by attracting foreigners looking for high-yielding U.S. investments.

Earlier in the week, the dollar fell sharply in reaction to the unexpectedly-high oil price increases announced by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

The price of gold fell in London to $215.625 U.S. an ounce from $216.375 Tuesday. In Zurich, it rose to $216.875 from Tuesday's $214.75.

Dollar quotes on major foreign financial centres included: Tokyo, opened at 193.80 yen today, up from Wednesday's close of 193.15, then rose to 194.50 in early tradings; Frankfurt, 1.8335 West German marks, down from 1.8403; Zurich, 1.63725 Swiss francs, down from 1.6422; Paris, 4.22 French francs, up from 4.21; Amsterdam, 1.9885 guilders, down from 1.9923; and Milan, 831.05 lire, up from 829.25.

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Pipeline plan wanted

OTTAWA (UPI) — The federal government instructed Foothills Pipe Lines (Yukon) Ltd., Wednesday to draw up a "master plan" for the hiring of thousands of workers to build and operate the Alaska Highway gas pipeline.

Mitchell Sharp, commissioner of the Northern Pipeline Agency, told Foothills "the master manpower plan (must) be designed to ensure the maximum possible use of Canadian labor in the planning, construction and operation of the pipeline."

The Foothills consortium must submit a detailed plan for all its labor needs for building the southern section of the pipeline by next Feb. 15 and for the northern section by next May 1.

The pipeline will stretch 2,753 miles from Prudhoe Bay in Alaska, across Canada, to the lower 48 states. At a cost of more than $10.7 billion it will be the longest, most expensive natural gas pipeline in North America.

"It's a massive thing," said James Ovens, who will oversee hiring for the project as national director of Northern Pipeline Employment for the Canada Employment and Immigration Commission.

"We talk about 100,000 man-years of employment, but that includes all work from the construction of the pipe, to the preparation and laying of the pipeline right through to the actual operation and maintenance."

Foothills plans to begin work on the pipeline in the summer of 1980 and expects it to be completed by late 1983.

They're smarter

Working women good targets for ad campaign

TORONTO (CP) — A recent study shows that Canadian working women have attained higher education levels than their male counterparts and should be treated accordingly in advertising directed at them.

The study, conducted by the Retail Marketing Association of Toronto, showed that 51 per cent of all females in the labor force have post-secondary or a higher level of education compared with 44.6 per cent of males.

Leonard Kubas, president of the research firm, said the study suggests that the working woman is brighter than the male working alongside her and is better educated than the woman who is not in the labor force.

He said that the average education level of all adult women is higher, at 12.5 years, than that of adult males, at 12.3 years.

This difference is particularly accentuated in the labor force, he said.

"Because of this, advertisers will have to re-examine their media mix if they wish to reach working women effectively."

Kubas said that the best vehicles for reaching working women are prime-time television, morning radio, newspapers, magazines and transit trains, buses and streetcars—especially transit, because 83 per cent of all transit riders are women.

Premier wins shares

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission has approved the transfer of 45 per cent of the ownership of Western Cablevision Ltd. from some of its present shareholders to Premier Cablevision Ltd., Premier said Wednesday.

Premier said in a news release the control and operation of Western will continue to rest on the McDonald family.

Purchase price is $3,150,000, Premier said. The transaction is expected to close early in 1979. Premier owns the company that provides most of Victoria's cable service.

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AT&T profit questioned

WASHINGTON (Reuter) — A U.S. government agency has told the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) it believes American Telephone and Telegraph Co.'s profits are excessive and should be reduced.

The General Services Administration, which provides supplies and services and rents facilities for the federal government, asked the FCC Wednesday to investigate the telephone company's profits to determine whether they exceed the 9½- to 10% rate of return set by the FCC in 1976.

The company said Wednesday it made a $1.36 billion profit for the three months ended Nov. 30, up 13.2 per cent from same three months a year ago.

Earnings

Bombardier Inc., nine months ended Oct. 31: 1978, $6,098,000, $1.57 a share; 1977, $2,665,000 loss, 68-cent loss.

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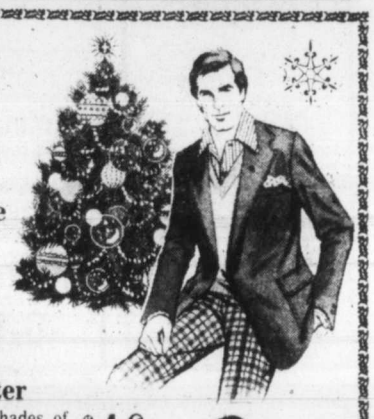
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Declarer wins the first spade with his 10 to give him a double-spade stop and, assuming the opponents will lead a spade as soon as they win the lead, declarer can rely on four clubs, two spades and whatever tricks he develops by knocking out the first ace. What should declarer's plan be?

If declarer leads a diamond instead of a heart on the theory that he can be sure of two sure tricks in diamonds and only one in hearts, he will wind up with only eight tricks. West will win the diamond ace and return a spade and the defense can cash five tricks before declarer can develop his ninth trick.

To make the hand, declarer must first play the heart suit. True, he might lose two heart tricks instead of one, but on the other hand, he might win three heart tricks instead of two. And since there is time to play only one suit, the heart suit offers the only reasonable chance.

At trick two, declarer leads a heart to dummy's king and, when this holds, he turns his attention to the diamond suit to assure two more winners (had dummy's heart king lost to East's ace, there would still be the chance of finessing against the jack in the East hand).

West wins the diamond ace and clears the spades, but declarer enjoys nine tricks to score his sketchy game.

NORTH 12-18-A

♠ K 7 5
♥ K 10 5
♦ Q 7 2
♣ Q 8 5 3

WEST
♠ A J 9 3 2
♥ A 4
♦ A 6 3
♣ 10 4 2

EAST
♠ 8 6
♥ J 6 3 2
♦ 9 8 5 4
♣ 9 7 6

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 4
♥ Q 9 8 7
♦ K J 10
♣ A K J

Vulnerable: East-West. Dealer: South. The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: Trey of spades.

Bid with Corn

South holds: 12-18-B

♠ A J 9 3 2
♥ A 4
♦ A 6 3
♣ 10 4 2

South	North
1 ♠	2 ♥
2 ♠	3 NT
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ANSWER: Pass. South started with a minimum opening and still has the same minimum. If slam is on, North should have found some other bid.

Arms policy shift smarts

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A shift in U.S. policy on limiting worldwide arms sales has apparently confused the Soviets and set back the chances of success for an East-West agreement, administration officials said Tuesday.

The policy change was the result of a White House-state department dispute that came to a head during a recent U.S.-Soviet meeting in Mexico City on limiting arms sales.

The White House, which favors a worldwide approach to cutting arms sales, appears to have won the conflict with the state department, which supports a regional approach.

But U.S. officials said the internal dispute in the Carter administration over cutting arms sales had apparently hurt the chances of reaching an agreement with the Kremlin.

The state department issued a communique Tuesday describing the Dec. 5-15 talks in Mexico City as "serious, frank and substantive," but gave no hint of progress.

The two sides are scheduled to meet again in Helsinki, but no date has been set.

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Provincial Court

Concurrent term for prison escaper

A 26-year-old Saanich man was given a four-year jail sentence in Victoria provincial court Wednesday for a drug-related offence.

Gary Keith Sawin, 26, of 973 Lovat, entered a guilty plea Dec. 7 before Judge Fred Green and was remanded in custody for presentence report. Sawin had elected trial by judge without jury on a charge of possession of heroin for the purpose of trafficking and a preliminary hearing had been set for Jan. 12.

Crown counsel Gordon Macdonald told the court drug squad officers went to Sawin's residence, Nov. 29 and found 19.8 grams (about ⅔ of an ounce) of heroin initially and found another 17.1 grams in two plastic bags beneath a waterbed.

Macdonald said Sawin then voluntarily showed officers another baggie containing 2.7 grams of "pure" heroin in a bathroom cabinet.

Also found was $8,230 in cash, including five bundles of $100 bills in lots of $1,000 each. Sawin said that the money was from an inheritance from a brother, from the sale of equipment and from band jobs he had done as a musician.

Sawin had a previous drug-related conviction, on June 20, 1975, in Victoria, for possession of heroin for which he was fined $500 and placed on 18 months probation.

Outside the courtroom, Macdonald said the heroin seized had a minimum street value of $12,000 and could have been sold for as much as $100,000.

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A Sidney man charged with causing bodily harm with intent to wound, maim or disfigure was released on $1,000 cash or surety bail by Judge William Ostler.

Steven Roy White, 9674 Fifth, was charged following a Dec. 19 incident involving a woman.

Ostler imposed conditions on White's release including prohibition from entering any licensed premises or liquor outlets, not to be drunk during his release, and no contact with the complainant in the case.

He was remanded to next Wednesday for election of his trial method.

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A former Victoria man living in New Westminster was fined a total of $700 for hit and run and dangerous driving.

Stephen John Thomas Johnson was fined $350 on each count in connection with a July 13 incident.

Johnson's vehicle was involved in an accident on Durrance Lake Road and police found Johnson asleep in the back seat of his car, which was some distance from the accident scene.

Johnson originally told police his vehicle was the one which had been struck but later admitted hitting the other car. He then said he went back to the scene of the mishap but the other car had gone. The other vehicle involved in the accident had remained at the scene, court was informed.

Total damage in the accident was $1,500, court was told.

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Fined for drinking-driving offences were: Dennis Stewart Strobbe, 37, of 4019 Britton, $500; Eric Stephen Fleury, 27, of 214 Virago, $450; Wayne Clifford Dawe, 27, of Robinson Road, $450; Robert Gordon Rowe, 25, address not given, $425; Darryl Scott Bentley, 17, of 3129 Metchosin, $350; and Johannes Frank Vermanning, 22, of 140 Wellington, $50.

In addition, Rowe was fined $75 for possession of marijuana, and Vermanning was given 60 hours of community service work.

A 32-year-old American who failed to return to William Head prison from a day pass in 1972 and remained unlawfully at large for 6½ years before being arrested in Toronto was sentenced in Victoria county court Wednesday to 30 days in jail.

But Judge E.J.C. Stewart ruled that the 30 days will be served at the same time as the unexpired four-year sentence Richard Douglas Bell was serving for possession of 27 pounds of marijuana for the purpose of trafficking.

Crown counsel Richard Law said there should be a deterrence to others who might do the same as Bell and he added that a concurrent sentence was no penalty at all.

Defence counsel Barry Mah Ming asked Judge Stewart to consider a concurrent sentence because Bell did not return from his day pass due to severe trauma and psychological problems.

Stewart said it was an unusual case and he didn't see why Bell's stay in jail should be extended one day.

Bell had been in jail less than a year when he failed to return on Jan. 1, 1972. He would have been released in January, 1973. Now, he will be released about July, 1979, although arrangements are being made to have him sent to the United States to serve his sentence.

Court was told that during the 6½ years he was unlawfully at large he was living in the U.S. and he was arrested last July while visiting Toronto.

After Stewart imposed a concurrent sentence, Bell said "thank you. That is a very good sentence."

Oakalla chop nearer

Canadian Press

The B.C. government has taken the first step in closing the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre (Oakalla) in Burnaby, Attorney-General Garde Gardom said Wednesday.

Gardom said construction of an $18 million remand centre in Vancouver is expected to begin shortly, and is to open by 1981.

"The closing of Oakalla has been a priority of my ministry for some time," Gardom said. "This centre, with its advanced design and complete facilities will be an important first step."

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Lv Swartz Bay	5:30 am
Saturna	6:40
Village Bay	7:20
Montague Harbour	8:00
Otter Bay	8:45

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TOWN'S GREEN ABOUT RED

VERMILION, Alta. (CP) — RCMP expected some confusion when the first traffic light was installed in this central Alberta town.

Sgt. Mike Scharlebois knew something was wrong when motorists began stopping on green.

"I put a car there for a while just to see what people are doing," he said in an interview.

A constable stopped some drivers and straightened them out on the red-versus-green business.

Told they were stopping when they should be going most drivers just grinned, he said.

The situation improved after that but it took a news release to the local paper reminding residents to stop on red and go on green before there was a noticeable improvement.

Now some drivers are turning left on red.

The light was installed on the town's main street about two weeks ago.

"I think most of them are just confused at seeing the light," Sgt. Scharlebois said. Until it was installed the closest traffic signal was at Lloydminster, 60 kilometres away.

"A lot of these folks are used to turning around in 40 acres," Sgt. Scharlebois said.

Police will wait until the new year before writing tickets to give people a chance to get used to the idea. Sgt. Scharlebois is confident most people will learn by then.

Noel serves notice: No garbage change

Saanich Ald. Sandy Noel says he will oppose any move to change existing residential garbage collection procedures.

He made the statement Wednesday as the municipality was circulating a questionnaire to all householders asking if they want curbside rather than the present backyard collection.

The change could mean an annual saving of $250,000 to $330,000 but could cause a slight inconvenience, the questionnaire says.

Handicapped and elderly residents would have the option of retaining backyard pickup even if the new system was introduced by simply making application to municipal hall.

Noel said the $330,000 saving is based on 20,000 curbside stops, representing an annual saving for each household of $16.50; $1.38 a month or 35 cents a week.

"I'm all for retaining the present system," Noel said.

That system provides for collection for up to four cans twice-monthly between October and May, and two cans a week between June and September at an annual cost of $780,000.

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Bus line sale: Bawlf cites 'insincerity'

By JIM HUME
Colonist reporter

Minister of Deregulation Sam Bawlf asked Wednesday that New Democrat Charles Barber (Victoria) be "a little more sincere in his alleged concern for the sale of Gray Line buses to Seattle Gray Line."

Barber has opposed the sale to the Seattle company since it was first announced by Provincial Secretary (then minister of municipal affairs) Hugh Curtis.

His latest move came in the form of a letter to Premier Bennett asking the premier to personally halt the sale. The letter states "I fully realize that reversing a decision made one month ago by a cabinet colleague is a very difficult thing to do. On behalf of many people in the capital city, I ask you to do it."

Bawlf, who also represents Victoria, said the appeal was typical of "the insincerity which appears to be intruding into many of his statements. He knows, and knows full well, that the decision to sell the bus line to the Seattle company was not made by Curtis—it was made by the full cabinet."

Bawlf said he was constantly surprised that people listened to arguments "which are so full of holes that they hardly deserve rebuttal." He was referring to Barber's claim that no one in the Social Credit caucus supported the sale.

"Maybe it's time Mr. Barber told the people of Victoria that the bid by the local people was $149,810 lower than the bid from Seattle," Bawlf said.

"Maybe he should tell the people that the local group, S&S Enterprises, declined to provide a breakdown of their bid but that the Seattle-based company spelled out their bid in detail.

"Gray Line of Seattle offered $316,500 for Gray Line Victoria including 13 double-decker buses and spare parts. It bid $7,500 for the Interstate Commerce Commission Certificate, $1,000 for trade names and $91,360, for buses actually sold.

And it included $95,000, the appraised value of 11 motor coaches for which no bids were received. That totals $511,360," Bawlf said. "It seems rather significant to me that the total bid of S&S was only slightly more than the Seattle bid for Gray Line Victoria and 13 buses."

Bawlf said he had deliberately avoided reference to the payment of $20,000 a year for five years "in consideration of co-operation by Pacific Coach Lines Limited in the integration of the operations and in consideration of the continuation of the B.C. Steamship sightseeing concession" because the $100,000 in extra revenue was predicated on future events.

"But it should be included in the over-all picture," Bawlf said.

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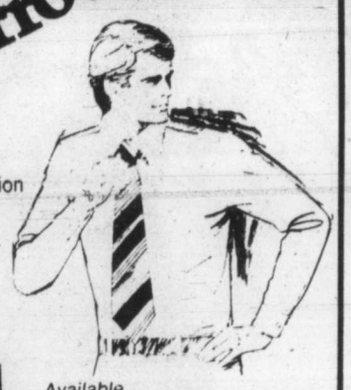

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Drinking age 19

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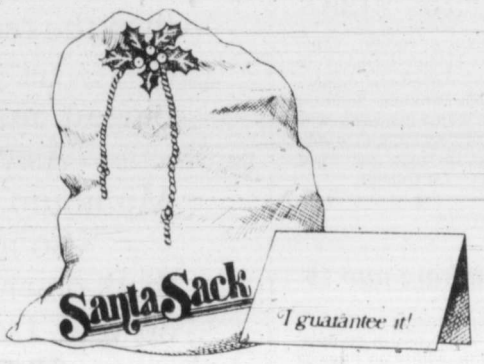

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'Get facts straight before sounding off'

Couvelier wins Butler blast

Central Saanich council members have angrily denounced Saanich Mayor Mel Couvelier's statement Tuesday accusing them of ignoring the Capital Region District's official plan.

Mayor Jean Butler said she was surprised at Couvelier's outburst and suggested he should "get his facts straight before sounding off."

She said his comment that Central Saanich was allowing subdivision and developing an industrial site contrary to the regional plan "are completely out of line."

The municipality, she said, employed regional planning staff to develop the community plan and there had been no deviation from the regional plan.

Mrs. Butler said the industrial area mentioned by Couvelier "has been in position for year and conforms with the regional thinking."

Only 20 per cent of the municipality was set aside for residential development, she said in response to the Saanich mayor's statement about subdivisions running rampant in the largely-rural municipality.

Subdivision and zoning committee chairman George MacFarlane said he was disappointed and surprised at Couvelier's statements which "were so incorrect it was sort of ridiculous."

Central Saanich council had always been careful not to comment on other municipalities' business and had tried to work closely with Saanich in the past, "but I find his statements incredible. I can't believe he meant what he said."

Ald. David Hill challenged Couvelier to prove where Central Saanich had deviated from the regional plan.

"I think he (Couvelier) is frustrated because Saanich is one of the few municipalities still to submit its community plan to the region," he said.

Hill accused Couvelier of making statements which "cast doubts on our credibility."

Former region board chairman Jim Campbell said he was disturbed at Couvelier's ignorance of the the basic facts concerning the regional plan.

Couvelier's remarks about Central Saanich and the official regional plan also disturbed regional board chairman Murray Glazier.

Central Saanich, he said, had a community plan which was in accordance with the official regional plan, and development there was also in line with regional concepts. Central Saanich had submitted its plan for regional approval, and had made amendments on the basis of regional criticisms.

That plan is now in the process of going through public hearings, he said.

On the other hand the region has been expecting submission of the Saanich plan for two years, but it still has not appeared.

Referring to questions raised by Couvelier about validity of the regional plan, Glazier said the region does not need cabinet approval for a plan that has been officially adopted by a two-thirds majority of the directors. "It is an official regional plan," he said.

If Saanich was not happy with the existing plan, it should take the proper route of asking for amendments, as the municipality had done in the past, Glazier said.

'Fast track' wins the day

By BILL SMITH
Colonist reporter

Saanich's planning committee is recommending a "fast track" approach to get its community plan approved by mid-July.

The concept, which involves a series of special committee meetings to deal with various aspects of the plan, will be recommended to council over two other options.

Under the recommended method, a senior municipal official would be made responsible for steering it through to completion.

The abridged plan is a modified version of the "broad brush" official community plan developed by the municipal planning department in 1976-77 which was sent back for revision after several stormy public meetings.

The latest document is designed to provide a broad framework for a later more intensive identification of issues, problems and policy development, according to chief planner Gil Laurenson.

It represents a consensus and preliminary course of action to deal with urban growth and rural conservation, but the goals and policies set out will need further refinement.

It has been prepared to conform with goals and principles of the Capital region District's official plan which, it is expected, will be modified to accommodate changes raised in Saanich's document.

The community plan reinforces and supports the basic planning principles of:

- Retaining Agricultural Land Reserve areas;
- Fully sewering the sewer enterprise area to promote development;
- Maintaining the urban containment boundary concept;
- Implementing the municipality's greenbelt proposal;
- Conserving ecologically sensitive areas.

The plan review schedule being recommended to council would see at least one extra meeting of the committee each month from January to May. The first in the series—Jan.22— would deal with the planning process, the economy, agriculture, urban growth and the environment.

Topics to be discussed Feb. 27 would include housing, commerce, transportation and municipal services.

The March 27 session would discuss social services and recreation.

It is proposed the bylaw receive first reading April 2 after which the plan would be referred to the regional board for comment. Any amendments would be made by June 4 in preparation for a public hearing June 25. Final adoption of the plan would occur July 16, if this schedule was observed.

Other options would see final adoption in mid-October and by Aug. 7.

'Entrapment' fight

The classic clash between protection of police informants and the right of an accused person to fully defend himself arose Wednesday in Victoria county court during the trial of a 22-year-old Fairfield man charged with trafficking in MDA.

The defence of entrapment—that a person is persuaded to do something which he normally would not do—is being urged on Judge E.J.C. Stewart by Robert Johnston, counsel for Daniel Allan White.

But crown counsel Gordon Macdonald objected to several questions on the grounds of public policy—that persons who assist the police should be protected and he said the defence of entrapment was not available in this case.

Canadian law does not recognize entrapment as a defence but has not ruled it out, in contrast with American law.

There was no objection from the prosecution when Johnston obtained the name of the intermediary, Peter Legeault, from Const. William Minneault of the RCMP, who was acting in an undercover capacity in the summer of 1977.

The first question the prosecution objected to was whether Legeault was employed by the drug squad. But this was side-stepped when Minneault said he could only answer that by hearsay and not from personal knowledge.

The next question to which objection was made was whether Legeault was given a new identification by the police. That question was not allowed to be answered.

Sgt. Ralph Ovinge of the Victoria police, attached to the drug squad in 1977, was asked if he was the liaison person between Legeault and undercover officers and if he ever gave a sum of money to Legeault.

Macdonald said generally courts have favored public policy against giving such answers unless there is a compelling reason which he said didn't exist in this case. It was also irrelevant, he argued.

Judge Stewart commented that there was no question there was some relationship between the police and Legeault but he decided to take what he called the cautious approach and not compel an answer.

He also ruled out a further question as to whether Ovinge provided Legeault with identification in a different name.

In the trial, Minneault testified he picked up Legeault and they went to White's apartment where an introduction was made and he bought 25 capsules of MDA from White and gave him $90.

He said he had met Legeault once before this event and since and made similar arrangements.

Before the judge's ruling on Ovinge not answering whether he gave money to Legeault, Minneault said he never gave Legeault any money and said "no, I was not" when asked if he was present when Legeault received any money from police.

The defence called White who said he bought 50 capsules of MDA from Legeault July 20, 1977, and two days later Legeault phoned him.

The prosecution objected to the conversation being related in court because it was hearsay but the defence said it could not call Legeault as a witness because he was out of reach after police had given him new identification. Stewart ruled the conversation could be given.

White said Legeault told him he had a friend who needed 25 capsules of MDA and more or less said if he didn't do him a favor he wouldn't do him any favors which White said he took to mean Legeault wouldn't supply him with MDA again.

While admitting that he gave Minneault 25 capsules of MDA and received $90 from him in Legeault's presence, he said he wasn't selling it but giving it back to Legeault who told him he would get more MDA the following week.

He said he was doing Legeault a favor and not doing it for profit.

Legeault's former common-law wife, Fern Lynn Stupple, 18, of Vancouver said she had seen Legeault sell marijuana, MDA, speed and sometimes hashish almost every day in the summer of 1977 including the transaction July 20 with White.

Another defence witness, Michael Patrick Knight, 24, said he knew White and Legeault and he had bought drugs from Legeault.

Stables will probe termite temerity

Don't look now, but Super Sleuth is on the trail of bug excrement.

It's not the usual title for Superintendent of Schools Allan Stables. But then, hunting down bug excrement is not your usual job.

IT'S ONE of a number of things Stables will be investigating as the result of a list of complaints from the Confedration of Parents Associations of Victoria about conditions in the classrooms of the Greater Victoria School District.

According to CPAV, termites have demonstrated untidy behavior, deterioration has gone unchecked, playing fields are unsafe, at least one roof leaks, and in one case a broken school window wasn't repaired for three years.

The organization blames it partly on last year's budget cutbacks, a shortage of staff, and contracting out of maintenance work.

"We need to look at the specific examples listed here and determine whether the complaints are justified," said school board chairman Susan Brice Wednesday.

STABLES WAS given the task of investigating when the board was presented with a detailed letter by CPAV president Marilyn Berry.

McKenzie is the school providing free lunch for the termites, according CPAV, which sent members on guided tours of the various schools. Willows has had a leaky roof problem, but Mrs. Brice said tenders have already been called for its replacement—simply as a part of a regular maintenance program.

Mrs. Berry says Colquitz is in particularly bad shape.

"I'm told the wood is in danger of rotting for a lack of paint. This means something that could have been remedied by maintenance could now become a capital expenditure."

SHE SAID that "in fairness to the board," it didn't hesitate to order an investigation when confronted with the complaints.

Mrs. Brice said there will be no way of judging the accuracy of the complaints until Stables completes his probe. No report is expected by the board until it meets again after the school Christmas break on Jan. 8.

"If the complaints turn out to be true they will be remedied," she assured.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Berry wanted to clear up a slight misunderstanding. There had been an insinuation that rodents were being just as untidy around the schools as bugs. That, she said, wasn't the case.

DURING the school board meeting someone else had made a "flip remark" about rodents.

"It wasn't us," said Mrs. Berry. "Our report said nothing about rodents."

Which may come as good news to Stables, who could be in for eye strain in the search for bug excrement.

Riding site fate sealed as luxury 'academy close'

By HUBERT BEYER
Colonist reporter

The fate of the nine-acre Victoria Riding Academy site, one of Oak Bay's last open spaces, was finally sealed Wednesday.

An $8.5 million, 64-unit luxury townhouse complex with an artificial lake will be built at the Cedar Hill Cross Road property that has seen thousands of children introduced to the joy of horseback riding.

The project will be built by Jim Hartshorne Construction Ltd. and Samoth Financial Corporation Ltd., two Victoria-based companies which bought the site from the municipality of Oak Bay for $1.25 million.

The sale of the land and detailed plans of the townhouse complex were announced by Oak Bay Mayor Brian Smith at a press conference Wednesday morning.

Prices for the 61 luxury townhouses, to be sold under strata title, will range from $120,000 to $150,000.

An artificial lake, about two feet deep, will meander through the site. The soil excavated during construction of the lake will be used for landscaping to relieve the basically flat topography. Since it is a controlled development, there will be no public access to nearby greenspace once completed.

Total cost of landscaping, including construction of the artificial lake, will be between $650,000 and $900,000.

Construction of the complex is estimated to take about 42 months. Payment for the land will be made in four annual instalments and interest on the purchase price of $1.25 million will generate another $300,000 in revenue.

Smith said the total impact of the transaction would reduce the municipality's mill rate by about four mills.

He said that would translate into tax savings for individual homeowners of between $20 and $40 a year, but he warned that this saving might be offset by assessment increases or increases in the school board levy.

The project will be built under a development permit which enables the municipality to retain strict control over the design and construction of the complex.

Smith said rigid specification had been imposed on the developer and the municipality would supervise construction until completion of the project.

The Samoth Financial Corporation is the parent company of Century 21 which will have exclusive rights to the sale of the townhouses.

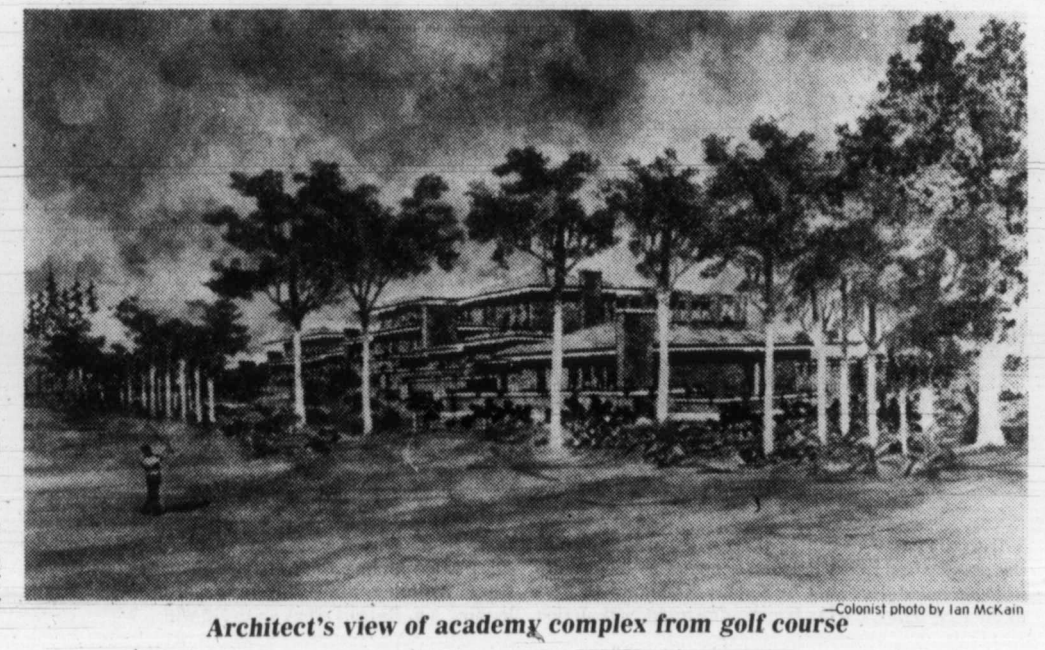
Asked whether the municipality might be accused of turning a recreational facility over to an exclusive income group, the mayor said he was sorry to see "an era pass," but added that it had become economically unfeasible to continue the use of the prime property for a riding academy which was under-utilized.

"If there had been 400 Oak Bay kids riding there every day, it would have been different, but the facility was under-utilized. We simply convert an under-utilized site into a prime residential development," he said.

The municipality had three options for the property's development, following a recent public hearing at which Oak Bay council took the land out of the high-density zoning category.

The three options were single-family homes, townhouses with low-rise apartments and townhouses only.

Council's call for tenders resulted in only one bid, for the construction of townhouses. No bids were received for the other two options.



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Architect's view of academy complex from golf course

Ballot clutter could deprive star of niche

By HAL BOCK
The Associated Press

Some years ago, an anonymous baseball writer, determined to spice up the annual election, cast a Hall of Fame vote for infielder Eddie Miksis, a nice man, whose diamond exploits never would be confused with those of Cooperstown's other occupants.

It was a joke, to be sure, but some members of the Baseball Writers Association of America weren't amused. It was at that point that the organization charged with electing new members to the Hall of Fame set up a screening committee to evaluate the candidates.

To qualify for the election, a player would first have to be approved by the screening committee that would see to it that the names on the ballot were limited to those whose performances on the field had earned them consideration.

The system seemed to work well until this year when among the players screened out by the committee was Milt Pappas, a pitcher who achieved some success during the 1960s. His absence was greeted with dismay, most of it expressed by Pappas himself. The pitcher immediately launched a campaign to be reinstated to the ballot.

Now, this is no place to consider Pappas' Hall of Fame credentials. That will be handled in the privacy of the ballot. But in returning him to eligibility, the BBWAA decided that from now on the qualifications for Hall of Fame votes would no longer include approval by any screening committee. Hereafter, all a player needs do is last for 10 years in the major leagues.

So, the 1978 ballots mailed out this week included not only Willie Mays and his 660 career home runs, but Larry Stahl and his 36 lifetime homers. And right there alongside Luis Aparicio and his eight straight years as the American League's best fielding shortstop is Jim Beauchamp and his .231 career batting average. And if a writer wants to vote for Enos Slaughter in his final year of eligibility, he can also consider John Stephenson in his first go-round on the ballot.

There is no doubt that Mays will be elected to Cooperstown in his first shot, and Aparicio stands a good chance of achieving the same honor. Slaughter, who missed by a mere 14 votes last year, could very well join them. And here is an unqualified guarantee that Stahl, Beauchamp and Stephenson won't make it. The key question in their candidacy is whether they'll receive any votes at all.

Mays

So why go through the charade of having the no-chance guys on the ballot at all? What's the point? Is it an ego trip for them? And how will they feel when the votes are totaled and their paltry figures released?

Defenders of the new procedure say the also-rans should enjoy their moment in the sun—that one shot at baseball immortality. They argue that the rules say a Hall of Famer must play 10 years, and the candidates on the 1978 ballot qualify. But it isn't that simple. Longevity isn't the determining factor for admission to Cooperstown. Performance is. Examine the performance credentials of some of this year's candidates and you know the screening committee is needed.

Besides the appearance of several players who lack legitimate Hall of Fame credentials, this year's ballot is unique for other reasons, too. It marks the first time BBWAA members will have an opportunity to vote for two all-time greats, Mays and Aparicio, both of whom seem cinches for Cooperstown, and the last chance to vote for Slaughter, who belongs there, too.

Voting regulations give Hall of Fame candidates 15 years on the BBWAA ballot. Mays and Aparicio won't need that long to be elected, but Slaughter has. This is No. 15 for the hustling outfielder, who was a throwback to the Gashouse Gang style of play when he worked for St. Louis Cardinals.

Why has he had to wait this long with credentials that included a lifetime .300 batting average and a host of those special qualities baseball people call intangibles? That's a moot question. The hope here is that he finally makes it in this last time around as did Joe Medwick, Red Ruffing and Ralph Kiner.

Cougars' prospects encouraging

BY STAN COOPER

Fans were in abundance Tuesday but will the they support Victoria Cougars so well in the second half of the Western Hockey League season?

That's a question manager-coach Jack Shupe couldn't answer Wednesday although he did venture a knowledgeable guess.

Reflecting on the first half of the season, Shupe said it's traditional for WHL clubs to draw better following the Christmas break and it shouldn't be any different in 1979.

Cougars were unbeaten in six league games this month and knocked off Moscow Selects 6-4 before 5,200 plus spectators in an exhibition game Tuesday at Memorial Arena.

"The win against Moscow will benefit both the players and club," Shupe said. "The win has to keep their confidence up and the crowd will almost certainly help us in the future at the gate."

Attendance figures for the first 17 home games (not including the exhibition game) show an increase of 243 fans per game over the corresponding period last season and the financial picture is brighter as an advertising program which accounted for 200 tickets each game in 1977-78 has been dropped, as has the number of complimentary tickets.

Cougars drew 40,254 or 2,368 per game in the first half, up from 36,127 (2,125), but well below the team record pace of 54,692 (3,217) in the 1975-76 campaign.

Cougars had their best crowd (3,414) on Oct. 21 against Seattle Breakers and their worst (1,691) for Regina Pats on Nov. 22.

Shupe considers a poor October, when Cougars lost nine of 15 games, and injuries to two key players as factors for the first-half problems but he's more than pleased with the club's showing in the last few weeks.

"We've lost only four games since Oct. 29 and the December games were all against Western Division clubs. The crowds haven't been quite up to our expectations although there is a definite improvement," Shupe explained. "We'll have seven of the prairie clubs here in the second half in addition to the Western Division teams so there will be more variety."

On another topic, Shupe said he isn't considering changes prior to the league trading deadline of Jan. 10 but would prefer to go with 12 forwards and five defencemen instead of the 11-and-six combination he will likely have after Jan. 1.

Defenceman Mark Robinson, out since Oct. 17 with a knee injury, and centre Geordie Robertson, sidelined since Nov. 19 with similar problems, are both skating and should be back as will centre Brad Palmer, who missed the last two games while recovering from a broken nose and tonsilitis.

"It would be ideal to have four forward lines and five defencemen," Shupe explained, "but we've got good depth at all positions and have shown we can win with 16 or 17 players if necessary."

As for improvement in the standings, Shupe said Portland Winter Hawks have an excellent chance to repeat as division champions with Cougars again in the runner-up spot.

"Portland has a four-point lead and plays 43 games in the second half compared to our 37," Shupe said. "If they (Portland) keep up their pace they will finish with about 100 points. We would have to win 30 of 37 to match them."

Cougars have an 18-13-4 record for 40 points, fifth over-all in the 12-team league, and they're 14 points up on last-place Seattle in the battle for a Western Division playoff spot.

Last season, Cougars defeated Seattle and Medicine Hat Tigers in their last two games to grab second place with 77 points. New Westminster Bruins finished third, also with 77 points, while the Breakers finished out of the playoffs despite their 76 points.

In the only league action Wednesday, Lethbridge Broncos scored the last two goals in a brawl-delayed game for a 6-5 win over the visiting Calgary Wranglers.

SHORT SHOTS... Tuesday's game will be telecast on Cable 10 at 2 p.m. Sunday and 4 p.m. Boxing Day...next action here is the Jan. 11 exhibition game against the Czechoslovak national selects, an 18-and-under squad which will play several games in B.C., including Dec. 30 and Jan. 1 outings against the B.C. Junior Hockey League Clippers in Nanaimo.

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Eastern Division							
Brandon	32	26	1	5	237	95	57
Saskatoon	33	9	14	10	191	194	28
Edmonton	35	9	18	8	141	184	26
Regina	34	8	23	3	138	252	19
Central Division							
Billings	34	21	9	4	190	123	46
Lethbridge	37	20	24	3	202	141	43
Calgary	37	11	22	4	167	212	26
Medicine Hat	34	7	23	4	122	231	18
Western Division							
Portland	29	19	5	5	189	116	43
Victoria	35	18	13	4	165	151	40
New West	33	17	14	2	148	136	36
Seattle	35	11	20	4	146	180	26

Next game: Friday – Billings at Calgary

CALGARY (5) – Sid Giroux 2, Garry Slezak, Kelly Kisio, Brad Purpur. LETHBRIDGE (6) — Earl Ingarfield 2, Larry Doyle 2, Randy Ruff, Gord Williams. Attendance: 2,390.

Things still drab for Smythe clubs

A few things are a bit different in the NHL this season, but the Smythe Division is as drab and unsuccessful as ever.

Its top two clubs were in action Wednesday night and, predictably, both lost — Chicago's leading Black Hawks bowing at home by 3-5 to Montreal Canadiens while the second-place Vancouver Canucks were taking a 7-2 thumping from the Red Wings in Detroit.

There were mitigating circumstances in that the Hawks were up against streaking Stanley Cup champions while the Canucks were playing the last game of a six-games-in-nine-days road trip. But the over-all record of a division led by a club with a 10-14-7 record is embarrassing.

The four clubs haven't been able to avoid getting the 36 points at stake in the 18 intra-division games played, but against the other three divisions the record reads 20-63-17. Ten of the other 13 clubs have more points than the Hawks, and Colorado Rockies and St. Louis Blues are 17th and 16th, respectively, in the 17-team league.

In other Wednesday games, Toronto Maple Leafs took over second place in the Adams Division with help from the New York Rangers, who knocked off Buffalo Sabres 6-3 to end an unbeaten streak at seven games while the Leafs were handling Minnesota North Stars 4-2.

In Detroit, a road-weary club with a weak defence paid a harsh price. Winners only seven times previously this season, the Wings scored three power-play goals in the first period and one midway through the second period to take a 4-0 lead which was never threatened.

Willie Huber, a king-sized rookie defenceman scored his first two NHL goals and had an assist while sophomore-pro Dale McCourt had three goals and an assist.

Hawks, winless now in six games, put up a creditable show against Canadiens and weren't out of it until Bob Gainey intercepted a pass in the last minute and clinched with a shot into an empty net.

Steve Shutt, who has five goals and nine assists in his last six games, scored twice and assisted once for the defending champions. Scoring-champion Guy Lafleur passed for two goals, boosting his lead in the individual point race to three. He has 52 points, Marcel Dionne is second.

North Stars, 1-12-5 in Maple Leaf Gardens since joining the NHL, could do no more than take advantage of penalties to Dan Maloney to score twice. But they could never pull even and remained nine points out of third place.

Meanwhile, Dean Talafous, found wanting by the North Stars, scored two key goals for the Rangers, who had lost four of their previous five games. The lanky winger broke a 1-1 tie early in the second period and clicked again early in the third period to boost Rangers into a 4-2 lead.

Sabres, who started with two ties when Bill Inglis took over as coach and then rattled off five straight victories to catch the Leafs, were again led by the line which has Derek Smith playing between rookie Tony McKegney and Gil Perreault, who has hit something close to peak form since being shifted to right-wing. Smith scored twice, and McKegney had three assists and Perreault two to give the combination 28 points, 14 of them goals, in the last seven games.

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	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Norris Division							
Montreal	32	22	6	4	135	81	48
Los Angeles	30	13	12	5	121	103	31
Pittsburgh	32	11	14	7	113	116	29
Detroit	33	8	16	9	104	119	25
Washington	33	8	20	5	100	153	21
Adams Division							
Boston	32	21	5	6	140	99	48
Toronto	34	16	14	4	117	109	36
Buffalo	32	13	11	8	103	96	34
Minnesota	31	11	17	3	93	109	25
Patrick Division							
NY Islanders	30	19	4	7	133	85	45
Atlanta	33	18	12	3	136	112	39
Philadelphia	33	17	11	5	110	93	39
NY Rangers	31	17	10	4	123	94	38
Smythe Division							
Chicago	31	10	14	7	93	114	27
Vancouver	34	12	20	2	111	136	26
St. Louis	34	7	22	5	99	158	19
Colorado	33	6	21	6	90	142	18

Tonight's Games

Colorado at Boston; Atlanta at Buffalo; Chicago at Montreal; St. Louis at NY Islanders; Washington at Philadelphia; Pittsburgh at Los Angeles.

Pro basketball

NBA

Boston 121 Indiana 105
Houston 108 New Jersey 105
Atlanta 121 New York 112
San Antonio 131 Chicago 102
Kansas City 114 Seattle 95
Denver 121 New Orleans 112
Golden State 85 Philadelphia 81
Washington 137 Phoenix 129

Gophers' coach

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Joe Salem, backup quarterback to Sandy Stephens when Minnesota went to the Rose Bowl in 1961, has been named to succeed Cal Stoll as the university's head football coach.

Sport today

HOCKEY

8 p.m. — South Island Junior 'B' League: Oak Bay Trios vs. Juan de Fuca Gulls, Oak Bay Recreation Centre.

8:25 p.m. — South Island Big Six League: Victoria Athletics vs. Western Homes Buckaroos, Pearkes Arena.

VANCOUVER 2, DETROIT 7

First Place

1. Detroit, Huber 1 (McCourt, Larson) 7:02
2. Detroit, McCourt 12 (Larson, Nedomansky) 12:36
3. Detroit, Huber 2 (St. Laurent) 17:12

Penalties—Thompson Det 3:59, Martin Vcr 6:36, Holt Vcr 10:51, Snepsts Vcr 17:09, Miller Det 17:22.

Second Period

4. Detroit, McCourt 13 (Huber, Thompson) 9:45
5. Vancouver, Martin 9 (Snepsts) 10:13
6. Detroit, Labraaten 6 (Nedomansky, Bergman) 12:55
7. Detroit, Nedomansky 14 (Labraaten, Libett) 13:49

Penalties—Bolduc Det 1:04, Bergman Det 5:19, Smyl Vcr, Vachon Det (served by St. Laurent) 5:57, McIlhargey Vcr 9:14, Holt Vcr, Polonich Det majors 9:54, Oddleifson Vcr 14:35, Huber Det 16:27, Blight Vcr 20:00.

Third Period

8. Vancouver, Blight 4 (Ververgadrt) 8:35
9. Detroit, McCourt 14 (Labraaten, Thompson) 16:33

Penalties—Nedomansky Det 0:58, Hilworth Det 6:34, Oddleifson Vcr 11:34, Nedomansky Det 12:41, Eriksson Vcr 14:23.

Shots on goal by

Vancouver	6	6	10	—22
Detroit	14	11	6	—31

Goal—Wilson, Bromley, Vancouver; Vachon, Detroit.

Attendance—14,654.

BUFFALO 3, NY RANGERS 6

First Period

1. NY Rangers, McEwen 8 (Marois, Nilsson) 11:42
2. Buffalo, Smith 7 (McKegney, Stewart) 13:27

Penalties—Schoenfeld, Buf 10:34, Fogolin Buf, Hickey NYR majors-misconducts 19:01.

Second Period

3. NY Rangers, Talafous 8 (Hedberg, Nilsson) :39.
4. NY Rangers, Esposito 15 (DeBlois, McEwen) 9:44
5. Buffalo, Smith 8 (Perreault, McKegney) 15:34

Penalty—Guevremont Buf 8:23.

Third Period

6. NY Rangers, Talafous 9 (Greschner, Duguay) 2:01
7. NY Rangers, Marois 3 (Tkaczuk, McEwen) 9:44
8. NY Rangers, Hedberg 11 (Hickey, Clark) 15:50
9. Buffalo, T.Martin 3 (Robert, McKegney) 17:23

Penalties—Robert Buf 1:14, Vadnais NYR 3:17, Maloney NYR 11:52, Nilsson NYR 16:12.

Shots on goal by

Buffalo	10	9	9	—28
NY Rangers	12	11	13	—36

Goal—Sauve, Buffalo; Thomas, NY Rangers.

Attendance—17,412

MINNESOTA 2, TORONTO 4

First Period

1. Toronto, Salming 8 2:46
2. Toronto Sittler 17 ((McDonald, Anderson) 4:12
3. Minneota, Potvin 4 (G. Smith, MacAdam) 11:15

Penalties—Palmateer Tor (served by Boutette) 6:27, Maloney Tor 9:41

Second Period

4. Toronto, Boutette 9 (Sittler, Turnbull) 6:37
5. Minnesota, Zanussi 9 (Brasar, Young) 8:51

Penalties—Maloney Tor 7:47, Meloche Min (served by Sharpley), Butler Tor double minors, Brad Maxwell Min game misconduct 17:48

Third Period

6. Toronto Hutchison 3 (Anderson, McDonald) 12:14

Penalties—Butters Min 2:21, Tor bench (served by Boutette) 9:00, Potvin Min 13:49

Shots on goal by

Minnesota	10	9	7	—26
Toronto	14	11	8	—33

Goal—Meloche, Minnesota; Palmateer, Toronto.

Attendance—16,406.

MONTREAL 5, CHICAGO 3

First Period

1. Montreal, Mondou 14 (Shutt, Robinson) 3:22
2. Montreal, Chartraw 2 (Risebrough) 4:03
3. Montreal, Shutt 11 (Lapointe, Lafleur) 10:20

Penalties—Savard Mtl, Kelly Chi 6:21, Higgins Chi 9:09, Russell Chi 11:16, Lupien Mtl, Logan Chi minors, majors 13:44, Connor Mtl 19:24.

Second Period

4. Chicago, Marks 11 (Murray, Mikita) 0:58
5. Montreal, Shutt 12 (Lafleur) 14:58

Penalties—Bulley Chi, Savard Mtl 0:12, Magnuson Chi 2:25, Rota Chi 9:01, Houle Mtl 12:48.

Third Period

6. Chicago, Mulvey 6 (Rota, Magnuson) 4:56
7. Chicago, Boldirev 14 (Higgins) 5:06
8. Montreal, Gainey 7 19:36

Penalties—Higgins Chi, Engblong Mtl 17:52.

Shots on goal by

Montreal	12	11	10	—33
Chicago	10	8	15	—33

Goal—Larocque, Montreal; Esposito, Chicago.

Attendance—16,246.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	P
Lafleur, Mtl	22	30	52
Dionne, LA	23	26	49
MacMillan, Atl	15	34	49
Chouinard, Atl	21	25	46
Federko, STL	13	32	45
Trottier, NYI	18	24	42
McNab, Bos	20	20	40
Sittler, Tor	17	23	40
Middleton, Bos	15	24	39
Taylor, LA	15	23	38
Potvin, NYI	13	25	38

VANCOUVER CANUCKS' Dunc Wilson hangs on to the goalpost and falls back into the net as he gathers in loose puck after shot by Vaclav Nedomansky (20) of the Red Wings during Wednesday night NHL action in Detroit. Wilson was making his second straight start since joining the Canucks but was replaced by Gary Bromley after the first period with Wings leading 3-0. Detroit went on to 7-2 win.

Websterrr coming forr sporrt dinnerr

Jack Webster, affectionately known as The Oatmeal Savage and The Mouth That Roared, will be a major attraction at the 12th annual Greater Victoria Sports Celebrity Dinner, scheduled for Monday, March 12 at the Empress Hotel.

British Columbia's best-known broadcaster and a keen sports fan, Webster will likely recall incidents from his early days in Glasgow, his newspaper career, radio "hot-line" experience and his present position of television open-line host in Vancouver.

A Saltspring Island resident for most of the year, Webster will be making his first appearance at the dinner which recognizes outstanding achievements by male and female athletes, teams and individual contributions and dedication to sport in the Greater Victoria area.

Additional guest speakers from a variety of sports and nominees for male and female athlete and team of the year awards will be announced in the next few weeks.

Tickets are now available from the sports departments of *The Daily Colonist, Victoria Times, CJVI, C-FAX, CKDA* and *The Sportscaster*.

Webster

Clair, Rider rift appears mended

OTTAWA (CP) — It appears that Frank Clair will remain with Ottawa Rough Riders after all—but not as general-manager.

The 61-year-old dean of Canadian Football League managers quit last Thursday after 22 years with the Eastern Conference club—14 as coach and eight as general-manager.

With his contract running out Dec. 31, Clair had been offered a place on a four-member club management board with president Allan Waters of Toronto, executive vice-president Terry Kielty and vice-president John G. (Jake) Dunlap, since named general-manager to replace Clair.

Clair's resignation, in the belief that the job he was being offered—with a significant salary increase—was in fact a demotion, drew sharp and outraged reaction from fans both here and around the league.

It was explained at a Friday news conference following Clair's resignation, he was being offered a vice-presidency with specific responsibility for recruiting—an area in which he is an acknowledged expert.

Few could comprehend what was happening and how the club could not renew the contract of a man who had led his team to a playoff position in all but one of the 22 years he was with Ottawa.

Dunlap, a successful Ottawa corporate lawyer and former player with Toronto Argonauts when Clair coached that CFL team in the 1950s, appears to have been about as shocked as anyone at Clair's resignation and at Clair's stated belief that Dunlap was behind the job offer Clair considered an insult to his pride.

Because he felt Clair would not want to talk to him at the time, Dunlap asked Ottawa Citizen sports editor Eddie McCabe to speak to Clair that Thursday night to see if anything could be done to correct what Dunlap felt was a breakdown of communications between Clair and the club.

Dunlap said he "felt sick" at the way events had gone.

Despite Clair's hard words at a Thursday afternoon news conference, Dunlap said:

"I don't care...this thing has to be straightened out. I don't know how, but something has to be done."

Clair listened to McCabe, a close friend and confidante throughout Clair's tenure here, Thursday night and Friday agreed to meet again with the club executive.

That tentative link now has grown into full-fledged negotiations with Clair saying in an interview Wednesday night:

"I'm very optimistic. The talks are going well."

So it now appears he will get the two-year contract he was seeking, perhaps even in time for Christmas.

Smith

Brentwood youth honored in U.S.

Rob Smith of Brentwood Bay has capped a two-year career at California's College of the Skiskiyous by earning honorable mention selection to the state's 1978 community college second-division all-star team.

Smith, a six-foot-three, 235-pound offensive tackle, was also a first-team selection on the all-Golden Valley Conference team.

Remember when

James (Tod) Sloan, world-famous jockey of the 1890s, died 42 years ago today—in 1936—at Los Angeles. Then 59 years old and a pauper, having spent all his winnings, Sloan was the originator of the present short-stirruped crouch of the modern jockey.

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UPSET AND DOING SOMETHING ABOUT IT, these Toronto Maple Leaf fans have obtained 35,000 ballots for voting on the NHL all-star team. Organizer David Matlow (left) along with David Singer, Brad Goldhar, Andrew Shaul, Stuart Grossman and Barry Simon will jam ballot boxes with the names of Leafs to offset the early rush of New York Ranger support.

Leaf fans to even all-star score

TORONTO (CP) — A group of Toronto hockey fans has taken exception to New York Rangers players leading the early voting for the National Hockey League all-star team and has taken steps to even the score.

The Toronto group at Forest Hill Collegiate has collected 35,000 ballots and plans to stuff the ballot boxes around Maple Leaf Gardens with votes for Leafs players.

Fans in the 17 NHL cities vote to pick the six-man starting lineup that will face the Soviet Union in the three-game Challenge Cup series in New York Feb. 8-11.

Results of early voting announced last week showed three Rangers players leading. Ulf Nilsson was tops in balloting for centre, Pat Hickey for left wing and Ron Greschner for defence.

"There's no way Ron Greschener is the best defenceman," said David Matlow, one of the Forest Hill fan group.

"The way we look at it, what we're doing can't hurt. At least we'll make it respectable for the Leaf players. And we're going to keep doing it, at least until the holidays."

Matlow said his group is voting for Borje Salming and Ian Turnbull on defence, Darryl Sittler at centre, Lanny McDonald at right wing and Mike Palmateer for goal. There's no Leaf player on the ballot for left wing so the group is either writing-in Dan Maloney or checking off Montreal Canadiens' Steve Shutt for that position.

Only the starting lineup is chosen by the fan balloting and coach Scotty Bowman of Montreal Canadiens, named coach of the all-stars, heads the committee that will choose the remaining 20 players.

Fairbanks with Patriots but only through playoffs

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — Suspended New England coach Chuck Fairbanks and Patriots officials agreed Wednesday that the National Football League mentor will lead the team through the playoffs and then depart for the University of Colorado.

"I've fulfilled the job I came here to do," said Fairbanks, who had been suspended by Patriots owner William H. Sullivan Jr. for accepting the Colorado job.

Fairbanks, however, had his suspension lifted when he sent a telegram to Colorado saying he was "not in a position at this time to engage in any further negotiations..."

Sullivan said the team and Fairbanks' lawyer, John C. Russell, will negotiate an agreement on the remaining four years of Fairbanks' $150,000 NFL contract.

Emerging from three days of hiding, a solemn and weary Fairbanks told reporters, "I wanted to get back to the college atmosphere. The circle of friends is different. It's a different game."

The Patriots will play either Denver Broncos or Houston Oilers Dec. 31 in the American Conference semi-finals after having clinched the AFC East title, capping Fairbanks' six-year pro career.

"We are delighted that Chuck Fairbanks is going to be the coach of the New England Patriots in the playoffs and hopefully the Super Bowl," said Eddie Crowder, Colorado's athletic director. "At the conclusion of the Patriots' post-season endeavors, he will be the University of Colorado's football coach."

The tangle developed Monday when Sullivan suspended Fairbanks hours before a game against the Dolphins in Miami. Two Patriots assistants, Ron Erhardt and Hank Bullough, were put in charge.

Sullivan said Wednesday the search for a new, permanent New England coach will begin after the playoffs.

The telegram sent by Fairbanks to Crowder was the move that cleared the way for Fairbanks to return to the NFL team temporarily, as many veterans on the squad desired.

The coach, however, made it clear, "I have not rejected the offer from Colorado." He simply told the school he cannot now sign a contract.

"We will be happy to have him (Fairbanks) back here to get the team ready for the biggest chapter in the history of the Patriots," said Sullivan.

"It is my utmost concern that the club has its best chance to be successful in the playoffs," Fairbanks said. "I'm pleased to have the opportunity to coach during the playoffs."

The agreement enabling Fairbanks to return was negotiated by his lawyer, John C. Russell and Chuck Sullivan, a lawyer and son of the Patriots' owner, in New York.

"I think we have a chance for a championship," said the elder Sullivan, "and I was concerned that the absence of this man could hurt us."

Fairbanks denied that one reason he accepted the Colorado job on a verbal basis initially was to begin immediate recruiting.

"It's never been my intention to be actively involved in recruiting at this time," he said. "It's not an ego thing with me. We've had a great deal of turmoil. I hope I can bring it together. One of my fondest ambitions is to bring a championship to New England."

The agreement between Fairbanks and the Sullivans apparently ended a topsy-turvy episode that began with the coach denying he would take the Colorado job, then telling Sullivan he had accepted it early this week.

After compiling a stunning coaching record at Oklahoma, Fairbanks came to New England in 1973 with the team at a low ebb. He used the college draft to build the squad into a Super Bowl contender that won its first divisional title since 1963 in the old American Football League.

"Whatever happens from here on in, I know in my own mind that I can be successful coaching at this level. Before the last game (a 23-3 loss at Miami Monday night), New England Patriots were three victories short of having the best record in all of professional football over the last three years."

Asked about the New England situation now compared to when he arrived six years ago, Fairbanks said: "I know they're in a lot better condition today. I have done in my own mind what I set out to do when I came here."

Asked about the playoffs, he replied: "The Super Bowl is the ultimate and you have to be very good and lucky to win it. The Oakland Raiders were in the playoffs for nine or 10 years before they won the Super Bowl. And, in my opinion, the Super Bowl was not their best team."

On going to Colorado, he said: "There's a lot of things about college work I am looking forward to. And, because of what has happened in the development of this team, this is a good time to make a change."

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B.C. hoop ace confident he can stick with Sonics

TORONTO (CP) — Lars Hansen is convinced that his stay in the National Basketball Association won't be a short one.

Hansen, a 24-year-old a native of Coquitlam, signed a 10-day contract with Seattle SuperSonics last Friday as an emergency replacement for second-string centre Tom LaGarde who was injured.

He played his first game on Sunday against the Cavaliers in Cleveland to become just the second Canadian-born NBA player since the end of the Second World War.

(Editor's note: Norm Baker of Victoria played for the then-Chicago Stags during the 1945-46 season.)

Hansen was used sparingly on Sunday hitting two of three shots from the floor for four points and collecting four rebounds as the Cavaliers defeated Seattle 101-91.

On Tuesday, he scored a team high 19 points as the Sonics dropped a 128-99 decision to the Bucks in Milwaukee.

"LaGarde got hurt on Dec. 13 and the team called me," Hansen said prior to Tuesday's game.

"I practised with the team on Thursday and they signed me the next day in Los Angeles."

The 6-foot-10 235-pound centre plans to stay with the Sonics longer than his 10-day contract calls for.

After his performance against the Bucks Tuesday, that should be a formality.

"I'm confident of making the team," he said. "I feel I can be backup to starting centre Jack Simka. I don't have any NBA experience, but I've played against a lot of these guys. I wouldn't be here if I didn't think I could help this team."

Although short of NBA experience, Hansen has had plenty of playing in major-college basketball in the United States and international competition.

He went to the University of Washington on a basketball scholarship and also spent parts of four years with the Canadian national team, partciipating in the 1976 Olympics.

Following the Olympics, Hansen played two seasons in Italy then reported this fall to Chicago Bulls, the NBA team that had drafted him. The Bulls cut him before the season started.

"I wasn't upset when I was cut by Chicago," said Hansen. "I know a lot of people get cut who could be playing if there were a few more teams. There are 242 players on 22 teams but there are many hundreds of top players."

Hansen is determined to become one of them.

Lou gets Christmas break with hoop tournament off

For the first Christmas season in 19 years, Lou McCorkall can forget about basketball this Yuletide.

McCorkall, who has been involved with the organization of the Bob Whyte Christmas tournament since the beginning, said Wednesday the 1978 tournament has been cancelled, mainly due to lack of interest.

More correctly, the tournament didn't even get off the ground this year.

"I think most teams would just rather take some time off around Christmas than play," said McCorkall.

It's unfortunate but there just wasn't any interest expressed this year. Hopefully we may get something going next year."

Provincial champion Nanaimo Islanders won the tournament last season, when only high-school teams competed. In previous years, university, senior and high-school teams participated.

The tournament is named for a Victorian long active on the local basketball scene.

Czechs earn share of tournament lead

MOSCOW (CP) — Czechoslovakia moved into a first-place tie with the Soviet Union in the Izvestia international hockey tournament Wednesday night by defeating Finland 5-4. The two teams, both with 3-0 records, meet Friday night in the decisive game of the five-country competition.

The loss dropped the Finns into a third-place tie with Team NHL, both with two losses and a tie. Sweden, which has lost both its starts, plays the Canadians tonight.

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Soviet Union	3	3	0	0	19	4	6
Czechoslov.	3	3	0	0	15	9	6
Finland	3	0	2	1	8	12	1
Team NHL	3	0	2	1	7	16	1
Sweden	2	0	2	0	3	12	0

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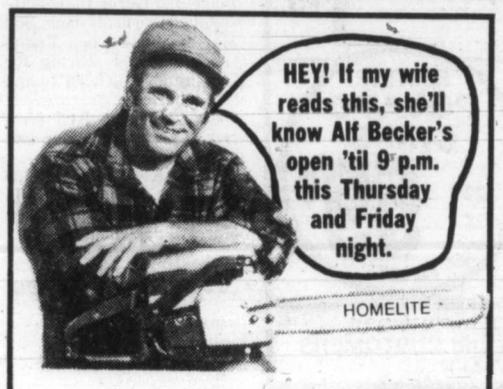

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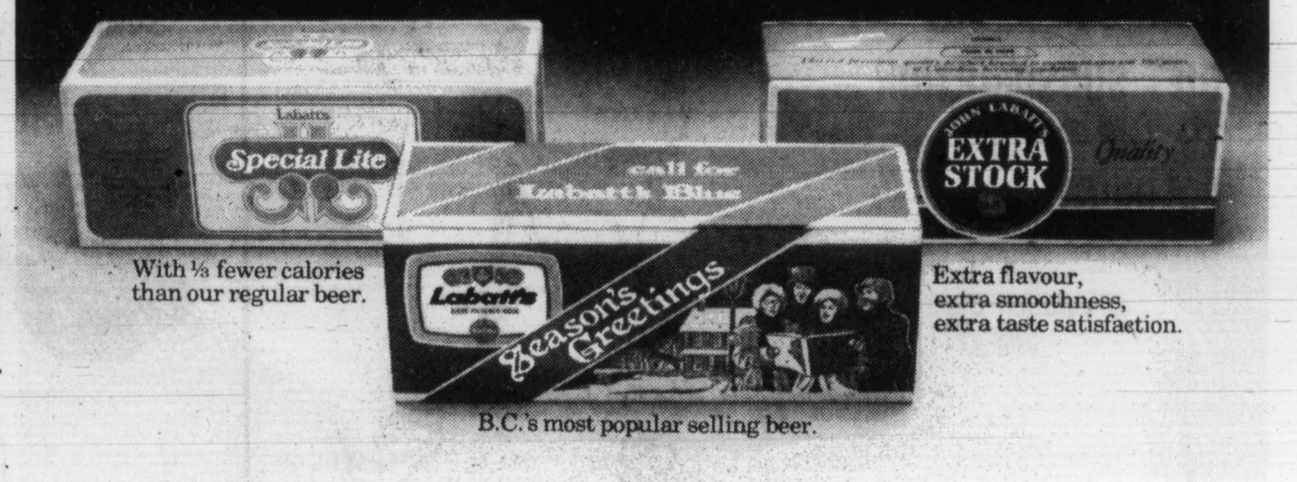

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Protests disrupt test cricket

The final day of the second cricket test match between India and the West Indies was cancelled Wednesday because of violent protests here against former prime minister Indira Gandhi's arrest.

The match was poised interestingly when stumps were drawn Tuesday with the West Indies score at 200 for eight wickets, a lead of 266 runs.

M. Chinnaswamy, president of India's cricket control board, told reporters the step was taken on the advice of senior police officials in Bangalore, about 850 kilometres southeast of Bombay.

The third test will be played at Calcutta, starting Dec. 29.

Scores: West Indies 437 and 200 for eight wickets; India 371.

Meanwhile, Australia capitulated meekly and lost the second test to England by 166 runs Wednesday at Perth, giving England a 2-0 lead in The Ashes series.

In a dismal display of undisciplined batting, the last six wickets crashed for 20 runs in the space of only 66 deliveries.

The mopping up was done by left hander John Lever and off spinner Geoff Miller.

During the late collapse Lever took three for eleven off 24 balls and Miller three for none off 23 deliveries.

Scores: England 309 and 208; Australia 190 and 161.

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Bay Meadows results, entries

SAN MATEO, Calif. — Results of thoroughbred racing Wednesday at Bay Meadows and entries for today:

FIRST RACE
Swims Wallet (Hamilton) $50.40 $20.60 $13.30
Conferee (Colaneri) 18.40 10.40
Fast Gambler (Winick) 4.80
Time: 1:13 3/5
Scratched — Native Pierre, Bold Hippus, Sonnys Serenade, George Francis.

SECOND RACE
Citrus Clover (Yaka) $28.40 $10.00 $7.00
Rhythm Queen (Gonzalez) 6.80 4.20
Jessie Time (Frazier) 9.00
Time: 1:13 2/5
Daily Double (6-3) Paid $419.00
Scratched —Splendid Life, Kadv Hardy, Really a Dancer, Carousel Melody.

THIRD RACE
Check for Two (McHargue) $10.40 $7.80 $5.20
Upper Edge (Murphy) 24.20 14.00
Patrician Reign (Gonzalez) 12.20
Time: 1:11 4/5
$5 Exacta (1-12) Paid $1,167.50
Scratched — Rising Rev, Topum, Light of Praise, Javs Late Date.

FOURTH RACE
Angels Sister (McHargue) $7.00 $4.20 $3.60
All Time (Mahorney) 5.40 4.00
Borrego Born (Seeley) 12.80
Time: 1:14
Scratched— Yom Tov, Doxie Lady, Ansgars Minute, Miss Windsong.

FIFTH RACE
Hoisty Can Fly (Aguirre) $23.80 $11.40 $8.00
Moonlight Cocktail (Mahorney) 9.60 6.20
Hard Hearted Hanna (Haversack) 6.00
Time: 1:12 2/5
$5 Exacta (3-7) Paid $717.00
Scratched— Cherry Isaqueen, Fun Ball, Cute Girl.

SIXTH RACE
Color Flag (Colaneri) $14.60 $6.60 $3.20
Nanettes Walker (Yaka) 9.60 4.60
Full Trouble (McHargue) 2.80
Time: 1:13.

SEVENTH RACE
Biava (McHargue) $3.60 $2.80 $2.60
Delta Ree (Diaz) 7.00 5.20
Rapunzel (Munoz) 3.20
Time: 1:11
$5 Exacta (9-6) Paid $99.50.

EIGHTH RACE
Elizabeth T (Caballero) $13.40 $6.80 $4.20
Fleet of All (Munoz) 9.80 6.60
Winter Sentiments (Colaneri) 6.20
Time: 1:45.

NINTH RACE
Stakes Ever (Munoz) $8.60 $4.80 $4.00
Hee Hooley (Leonard) 10.60 7.40
Cango Quick (Ochoa) 5.40
Time: 2:07 3/5
$5 Exacta (6-1) Paid $214.00
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Entries

FIRST RACE—$4,000 clmg 3&4 yo MF 6 fur
Victorious Dream (Colaneri) 118
Skyroom (Aguirre) 118
Falcon Annie (Ortega) 118
True Waltz (Schacht) 118
Angela Labardi (Olguin) 118
Howd I Doit (Hamilton) 118
Parker Table (Gonzalez) 118
Bright Falcon (Ochoa) 118
Heres Goldie (Mahorney) 118
Highbrella (Volzke) 118
Broad Molly (Galarsa) 118
Timely Sea (Jin) 118
Paddy Cake (Munoz) 118
Roan Imp (Wilburn) 118
Banners Rally (Sanchez) 118
Michelle Robin (Ramirez) 118

SECOND RACE—$7,000 clmg 2 yo 6 fur
Chris Commander (McHargue) 117
Eye the Tiger (Hamilton) 112
Vain Strider (Youngren) 114
x Mighty Fella (Auten) 109
Quote Me Anytime (Mercado) 114
x BTs Hope (Haversack) 109
Chief Escort (Cuthbertson) 114
Northern Royal (Colaneri) 114
Midtown (Diaz) 112
Don Gabrielle (Munoz) 114
Canim Clipper (Galarsa) 114
Brokers Meeting (Gonzalez) 114
x Bens Frank (Auten) 109
Gleaming Silver (Gonzalez) 114
Mazik (Volzke) 114

THIRD RACE—$3,500 clmg 3&up 1 1/16 mi
Very Windy (Gonzalez) 114
Cadaver (Caballero) 111
Kid Konfidence (Diaz) 114
x Agent Provocateur (Arnold) 109
Hungry (Volzke) 114
Four Spades 2D (Munoz) 114
Nice Hound (Baze) 114
Did It Alone (York) 114
x Jodi Me (Auten) 106
Sail Back (Yaka) 114
Rio Omay (Cuthbertson) 117
Mister Rivet (Cuthbertson) 114
Asuncion (Hamilton) 114
Eds Ahead (Yaka) 117
Game Steel (Burkes) 114
x Malarkey Jim (Auten) 109

FOURTH RACE—$4,000 clmg 2 yo M 6 fur
Town Talker (Galarsa) 118
Pappys Treat (Diaz) 118
High Suit (Mercado) 118
x Hookit (Auten) 113
Lotte (Schacht) 114
Meloholme (Gonzalez) 118
Lady Lets Go (Resendiz) 115
Doxie Lady (Youngren) 115
x Bobbys Beem (Haversack) 113
Whirling Jim (Felton) 118
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Yom Tov (Sherman) 115
Orourke (Munoz) 118
Ansgars Minute (Cuthbertson) 115
MacArthurs Prince (Mahorney) 118
x Domineerings Pride (Auten) 113

FIFTH RACE—$6,000 clmg 3&up 1 1/16 mi
Hyper Hippie (No Bov) 111
Mary Said No (Galarsa) 111
Wonden Bred (White) 111
Take a Bride (Leonard) 114
Nasdaq (Diaz) 117
Middle Ages (Baze) 114
Young Kinglet (Burkes) 114
Foguero (Cuthbertson) 117
Streakin It (Frazier) 114
Aclamado (Gonzalez) 114
River Lad (Hamilton) 114
Forward Sun (Castaneda) 114
Sea Sick Joe (White) 114
Marvelous Marsh (Castaneda) 114
Stretch Call (Diaz) 114
High N Happy (Winick) 114

SIXTH RACE—$11,000 alw 3&up 1 1/16 mi
a Tilt the Balance (Yaka) 111
b Malhumor 2D (Wilburn) 114
Guavo (Moreno) 119
Disguised Star (Campas) 111
Fame International (Volzke) 114
Pee Wee Painter (Diaz)) 114
Bouncing Dave (Castaneda) 117
b Jefe Indio (Wilburn) 114
Bold Combato (Colaneri) 114
a Dynolite (Frazier) 111
Mr Irv M (McHargue) 114
Fuffinality (No Bov) 111
A—Entry, B—Entry

SEVENTH RACE—$7,000 clmg 3 yo 6 fur
a Just Tuckin (Caballero) 114
Cogitation (Seeley) 114
Merry Mac (Yaka) 114
Smilen Agent (Moreno) 114
Import Wine (Gonzalez) 114
Hoot Will (Galarsa) 114
Winnings Flank (McHargue) 114
Cool Frenchy (Sanchez) 114
Bronze Idol (Diaz) 114
x Cady Mae (Sanchez) 106
Fine Romance (Munoz) 114
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Chris Riddell added three for the winners while Ron Poole and Gerry Blanchette supplied two goals each. Bob Martin and Bayden Robinson completed scoring for Esquimalt, which led 3-1 and 8-3 by periods.

Kent Knelson, Neil Merrick, Larry Steinhauer and Larry Meyers replied.

Steve Kishkan made 30 saves for Esquimalt while Duncan netminder Bruce Morrow kicked out 36 shots.

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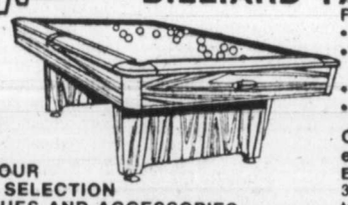

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Staubach leads passers; rookie tops NFL rushers

NEW YORK (AP) — Roger Staubach of Dallas nosed out Pittsburgh's Terry Bradshaw as the National Football League's passing leader in 1978, while rookie Earl Campbell of Houston and Rickey Young of Minnesota were easy winners in rushing and receiving.

NFL statistics released Wednesday showed Staubach edged Bradshaw 81.9 to 81.8 points in the complex system by which the league rates its passers. San Diego's Dan Fouts was third at 83.2.

Staubach completed 55 percent of his passes (231 of 413) for 3,190 yards and 25 touchdowns, while Bradshaw hit 56.3 percent (207 of 368) for 2,915 yards and a league-high 28 TDs.

Miami's Bob Griese was the most accurate, with a 63 percent completion rate; Ken Stabler of Oakland threw the most interceptions, 30, and Fran Tarkenton of Minnesota threw for the most yards, 3,468.

Campbell, the 1977 Heisman Trophy winner from the University of Texas, led the Oilers into the playoffs with his 1,450 yards rushing, 55 more than runner-up Walter Payton of Chicago, last year's NFL rushing champ when he gained 1,852.

Young, obtained by the Vikings from San Diego before the start of the season, caught 88 passes, 14 more than runner-up Tony Galbreath of New Orleans.

Rookie Frank Corral of Los Angeles Rams was the NFL scoring leader with 118 points on 31 conversions and 29 field goals, while running back David Sims of Seattle was the top scorer among non-kickers with 90 points on 15 touchdowns.

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The final statistical leaders:

Rushing

	C	Yds	Avg	TD
Campbell, Hou	302	1450	4.8	13
Payton, Chi	333	1395	4.2	11
Dickerson, Dal	290	1325	4.6	7
Williams, Mia	272	1258	4.6	8
Montgomery, Pha	259	1220	4.7	9
Middleton, GB	284	1116	3.9	11
Harris, Pit	310	1082	3.5	8
van Eeghen, Oak	270	1080	4.0	9
Miller, Buf	238	1060	4.5	7
Reed, KC	206	1053	5.1	5
Riggins, Wash	248	1014	4.1	5

Passing

	A	C	Yds	Avg	TD
Staubach, Dal	413	231	3,190	7.72	25
Bradshaw, Pit	368	207	2,915	7.92	28
Fouts, SD	381	224	2,999	7.87	24
Griese, Mia	235	148	1,791	7.62	11
Manning, NO	471	291	3,416	7.25	17
Sipe, Cle	399	222	2,906	7.28	21
Morton, Den	267	146	1,802	6.75	11
Danielson, Det	351	199	2,294	6.54	18
Zorn, Sea	443	248	3,283	7.41	15
Ferguson, Buf	330	175	2,136	6.47	16

Receiving

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD
Young, Min	88	704	8.0	5
Galbreath, NO	74	582	7.9	2
Largent, Sea	71	1168	16.5	8
Rashad, Min	66	769	11.7	8
Tilley, SL	62	900	14.5	3
Casper, Oak	62	852	13.7	9
Swann, Pit	61	880	14.4	11
Foreman, Min	61	396	6.5	2
Mitchell, SD	57	500	8.8	2
Jefferson, SD	56	1001	17.9	13

Punting

	No.	Yds	Avg
McInally, Cin	91	3919	43.1
Guy, Oak	81	3462	42.7
Skladany, Det	86	3654	42.5
Jennings, NYG	95	3995	42.1
Blanchard, NO	84	3532	42.0

Punt Returns

	No.	Yds	Avg
Upchurch, Den	36	493	13.7
Harper, NYJ	30	378	12.6
Moody, Buf	19	240	12.6
Wallace, LA	52	618	11.9
Payton, KC	32	364	11.4

Kickoff Returns

	No.	Yds	Avg
Odom, GB	25	677	27.1
Pearson, Atl	25	662	26.5
Wright, Cle	30	789	26.3
Washington, Bal	19	499	26.3
Owens, SD	20	524	26.2

Trios and Gulls win

Oak Bay Trios and Juan de Fuca Gulls, both visitors, waltzed to lopsided victories in the South Island Junior 'B' Hockey League Wednesday night.

At Fuller Lake Arena, Gulls whipped the Flyers 6-3 after a three-goal third period and, in a late game at Lake Cowichan, Bairds were down 15-7 to Oak Bay Trios with about a minute to play. A game-ending brawl delayed the official conclusion.

Ross Anderson, Mike Adamek and Steve Saunders each scored twice for Juan de Fuca while Ken Ellison, Keith Mazerenko and Ken Therris responded for the hosts.

Peter Adamek turned aside 32 shots for Gulls while Jim Lebitschnig handled 29 shots in goal for Fuller Lake.

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Saanich	24	20	2	2	229	79	42
Esquimalt	24	14	7	3	204	109	31
Fuller Lk.	24	14	8	2	168	92	30
Juan de Fuca	23	13	8	2	130	91	28
Oak Bay	23	10	9	4	146	105	24
Lk. Cowichan	24	3	19	2	89	224	8
Kerry Park	24	1	22	1	63	419	3

Oldtimers plan puck preview

Fans of oldtimers' hockey who can't wait until the end of January for a taste of their favorite action have a treat in store.

By way of a preview to the national oldtimers' tournament here Jan. 27-29, four local teams entered in the tournament will play two exhibitions at the Esquimalt Sports Centre Friday night.

Esquimalt Merchants Oldtimers challenge Saanich Warriors in the opener at 7:45 p.m. while Victoria Coulter-Grolle tangles with Victoria Athletics Oldtimers in the nightcap at 9:15 p.m.

Let George do it? No way—Giants

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — George Allen wants the Giants, but the Giants don't want George Allen. The Giants want Joe Paterno, but it looks like Joe Paterno doesn't want the Giants.

After Monday's house cleaning that left New York Giants without a coach and general manager, an impressive list began lining up to fill the jobs created by coach John McVay's firing and director of operations Andy Robustelli's resignation.

Allen, late of Washington Redskins and Los Angeles Rams, expressed immediate interest in filling both jobs. But Allen can forget it. There's no way way Wellington Mara would hire him.

Allen has long been one of Mara's least favorite people. The Redskins ran up the score on the Giants quite a few times. Allen has often had a shaky relationship with the media, qualities hardly endearing to the image-conscious Mara family.

Despite his open campaigning for the job, Allen doesn't have a shot for the same reasons Carroll Rosenbloom was willing to swallow the coach's huge contract with Los Angeles Rams. Allen wants full and complete control, which is not an easy thing for any NFL owner to give.

Sources on the team chuckle when Allen's name is mentioned. "That's nice," was the reaction of one Giant official when he was told of Allen's interest. Another said it was absurd that Allen would be offered the job.

But Paterno is a different story. Although Mara indicated he would rather hire two men for the two jobs, he would make an exception for Paterno. But the Penn State coach is enamored with the collegiate atmosphere and has indicated he has no desire to coach in the pros.

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Drug dossiers brought in from the cold

OTTAWA (CP)—People who suspect their names may appear in secret federal health department files on alleged illegal drug users or dealers now can look at their dossiers.

On the advice of Health Minister Monique Begin, the federal cabinet has revoked an order in council that exempted drug investigation user and dealers files from private inspection under the 1978 Canadian Human Rights Act.

The Act came into effect March 1 and applies to 27 government departments and 62 federal agencies, including the RCMP.

However, information from about 20 of the 1,500 federal data banks would not be made available to enquirers for national security and other reasons even though they would be listed in the file index.

In the revocation order, made public in the Dec. 13 *Canada Gazette*, Miss Begin said disclosure of the contents of the 200,000 drug-related files would not bring to light any information obtained or prepared by any government agency for the suppression of crime.

She was not available for comment Monday.

Miss Begin announced her intention to bring the dossiers in from the cold in July, but also made it clear she reserved the final decision on what information could be released from department data banks.

She said she intended to keep the names of informants and the tactics used in drug investigations secret.

A department spokesman said at the time that the decision was prompted by "the stink" raised by a newspaper reporter.

Byrne Carruthers of *The Journal of the Ontario Addiction Research Foundation* had said the files, based on police information, conviction records, medical and pharmacy reports and "even on complaints from disgruntled neighbors," contained the names of many persons who had never been convicted of drug offences.

"And the files contain mistakes...that the Human Rights Act is supposed to allow Canadians to check for, challenge and request be corrected," he reported.

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Terror attacks flare in Italy

VENICE (UPI)—Terrorists using dynamite, plastic explosives and firebombs staged 12 attacks in eight north Italian cities and towns Tuesday in the region's most widespread violence in months.

The attacks damaged offices and injured a bomb squad expert who tried to defuse one of the devices.

Police said an unidentified number of assailants struck small business associations in Venice, Mestre, Chioggia, Rovigo, Vicenza, Montecchio Maggiore, Thiene and Romano d'Ezzelino.

Telephone callers told the Italian news agency ANSA the attacks were staged by the "Workers' Organization for Communism" and the "Organized Communist Proletarians," two of Italy's 150 underground organizations of the left and right.

Police officials in Mestre said bomb squad expert Onofrio Covino, 45, was injured when a bomb placed in front of an industrialists' federation building exploded.

They said Covino was cutting detonating wires to a plastic explosive device when it went off. He was in hospital in serious condition with burns on his face and bruises all over his body.

Venice, Chioggia, Rovigo and Montecchio Maggiore reported two plastic or firebombs attacks each and Picenza, Thiene and Romano d'Ezzelino each had one bombing.

In Venice, the attackers dynamited the front door of a small business association and firebombed a union headquarters.

Police in Chioggia and Vicenza reported youths hurled firebombs and damaged the front doors of two office buildings before they fled on foot.

In other attacks in the same region, three masked gunmen burst into the office of Padua lawyer Vincenzo Filosa and shot him in the legs and youths raided the industrialists' association in Schio.

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Lost leg in car accident, worker awarded $406,000

VANCOUVER (CP)—A millworker who lost a leg in a car accident was awarded $406,000 in a B.C. Supreme Court judgment handed down Tuesday.

Stanley Land, 42, had taken his sister to her driving test. On completion of the test, the car his sister was driving jumped a curb and pinned Land to a wall, crushing his leg.

Mr. Justice John Bouck said in his judgment that Land was guaranteed to receive only $75,000—the provincial minimum for liability coverage—because the amount of a defendant's coverage never came out in court.

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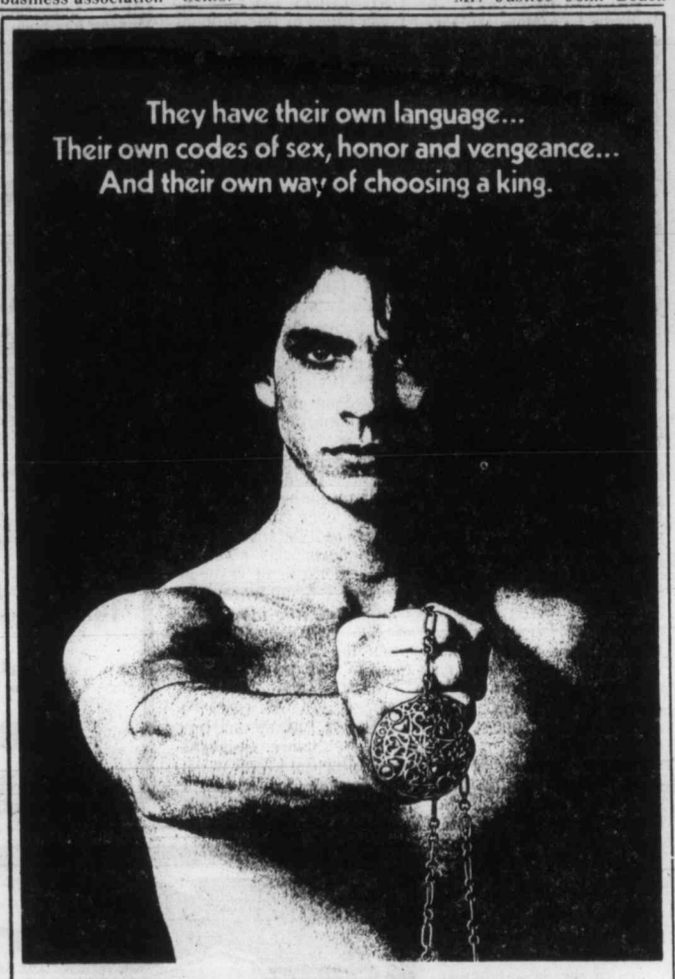

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DECISION

Ottawa, December 11, 1978

Following a Public Hearing commencing October 24, 1978 in Vancouver, British Columbia, the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission announces the following decisions.

Decision CRTC 78-738
NORTH SAANICH, CENTRAL SAANICH AND SIDNEY, BRITISH COLUMBIA—781424700
Saanich Cablevision Ltd.

Application for renewal of its cable television broadcasting licence for North Saanich, Central Saanich and Sidney, British Columbia expiring March 31, 1979.

Decision: APPROVED

The Commission renews this licence from April 1, 1979 to March 31, 1984, subject to conditions to be specified therein.

This licence is subject to the condition that the licensee own and operate, as a minimum, the local head-end, the amplifiers and the subscriber service drops.

The Commission has considered an intervention by Vancouver Co-operative radio for the cable carriage of the signal of CFRO-FM Vancouver. The Commission will expect the licensee to investigate the receivability of the signal and apply for its carriage should this be technically feasible.

With regard to the on-channel distribution of CBUT, CHEK-TV, CHAN-TV, CFMS-FM and CKO-FM-4, the Commission is assured that the quality of the signals distributed on channels 2, 6 and 8 and on the FM channels is satisfactory. However, should technical difficulties arise, the licensee must take appropriate remedial action to improve the quality of the signals.

It is a condition of this licence that the licensee delete commercial messages from television signals received from broadcasting stations not licensed to serve Canada and substitute therefor suitable replacement material. Implementation of such condition shall take place only on receipt of written notification from the Commission.

Decision CRTC 78-740
YOUBOU, BRITISH COLUMBIA—780803300
Youbou Television Ltd.

Application for renewal of its cable television broadcasting licence for Youbou, British Columbia expiring March 31, 1979.

Decision: APPROVED

The Commission renews this licence from April 1, 1979 to March 31, 1984, subject to conditions to be specified therein.

This licence is subject to the condition that the licensee own and operate, as a minimum, the local head-end, the amplifiers and the subscriber service drops.

In response to the intervention by Vancouver Co-operative Radio for the cable carriage of CFRO-FM Vancouver, the Commission notes that the licensee had previously applied for the carriage of this signal. However, the signal received was technically deficient and the licensee withdrew its application (see Decision CRTC 78-324).

Decision CRTC 78-743
SALTSPRING ISLAND, BRITISH COLUMBIA—780814000
Saltspring Cablevision (1972) Ltd.

Application for renewal of its cable television broadcasting licence for Saltspring Island, British Columbia expiring March 31, 1979.

Decision: APPROVED

The Commission renews this licence from April 1, 1979 to March 31, 1984, subject to conditions to be specified therein.

This licence is subject to the condition that the licensee own and operate, as a minimum, the local head-end, the amplifiers and the subscriber service drops.

With regard to the on-channel distribution of CBUT, CHEK-TV, CHAN-TV and the Vancouver and New Westminster FM signals, the Commission is assured that the quality of the signals distributed on channels 2, 6 and 8 and on the FM channels is satisfactory. However, should technical difficulties arise, the licensee must take appropriate action to improve the quality of the signals.

The Commission has considered an intervention by Vancouver Co-operative Radio for the cable carriage of CFRO-FM Vancouver. The Commission will expect the licensee to investigate the receivability of the signal and apply for its carriage should this be technically feasible.

J. G. PATENAUDE
Acting Secretary General

Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission
Conseil de la radiodiffusion et des télécommunications canadiennes

Wilf's off the hook

DETROIT (AP) — Wilf Paiement of Colorado Rockies won't have to face a criminal charge in connection with an incident Oct. 25 that left Dennis Polonich of Detroit Red Wings with a broken nose.

Wayne County prosecutor William Cahalan had considered charging Paiement with felonious assault, but said Tuesday that "no jury would have convicted him."

Griese 'questionable' for NFL playoff

MIAMI (AP) — Quarterback **Bob Griese** and guard **Larry Little** watched from the sidelines Wednesday as Miami Dolphins began preparations for their Dec. 24 wild-card playoff game with Houston Oilers.

Griese has bruised ribs and is listed as questionable, while Little is questionable with a sore ankle and knee.

Safety **Tim Foley** is also questionable with a pulled stomach muscle.

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BALTIMORE (AP) — **William E. Simon**, the former U.S. Treasury Secretary, says by the first of the year he hopes to own a baseball team—specifically the Baltimore Orioles.

After numerous talks with Oriole board chairman **Jerold C. Hoffberger**, Simon said this week, "We've talked long enough, now let's get down to nut-cracking time.

"We're going to get together after Christmas, and I expect to get things resolved."

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LES CONTAMINES MONTJOIE, France (Reuter) — West German **Christa Zechmeister**, winner of the opening event of the women's European Cup ski series, continued her progress Wednesday by capturing first place in a special slalom race.

She clocked a total time of one minute 25.39 seconds for two runs.

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LONDON (AFP) — The British Lotus team, which won last year's Formula One world motor-racing championship has announced a new sponsor for the coming season.

The new sponsor is the Italian drinks firm of Martini, taking over from the British cigarette firm John Player, which has sponsored the Lotus for the last 11 years.

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WEYBURN, Sask. (CP) — **Ivan Prediger** has resigned as coach of Weyburn Red Wings of the Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League.

Prediger was in the second year of a two-year contract.

The new coach is **Gene Sobchuk**.

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LONDON (Reuter) — **Muhammad Ali**, the World Boxing Association heavyweight champion, says he will not fight again.

Ali, leaving for New York after two days of business talks, said when asked about reports that he would meet

Sport digest

former British champion **Joe Bugner** in a series of exhibition matches:

"There were discussions, but nothing was ever finalized. I won't be fighting anybody, not even in exhibitions."

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ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis Blues of the National Hockey League have sent centre **Doug Palazzari** to their Salt Lake City farm club. nesday. Palazzari, 26, had two goals and three assists in 21 games with the Blues this season.

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WATFORD, England (Reuter) — Watford, the Third Division English League soccer club whose chairman is pop-singer **Elton John**, paid £200,000 ($400,000) Wednesday to acquire Leicester City defender **Steve Sims**. Watford earned promotion from the Fourth Division under John last season and now heads the standings in the Third.

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DUESSELDORF, West Germany (Reuter) — West Germany slithered to a 3-1 victory over the Netherlands in an exhibition soccer match Wednesday night. It was a measure of revenge for the defending World Cup champions, who bowed out of this year's competition when the Dutch side held them to a 2-2 draw.

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MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — **Joe Salem**, backup quarterback to **Sandy Stephens** when Minnesota went to the RoseBowl in 1961, has been named to succeed **Cal Stoll** as the university's head football coach. Stoll was fired after seven years following a 5-6 season.

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ATCHISON, Kan. (AP) — **Joe Floyd**, 21, centre of the Benedictine College basketball team, has died after he collapsed during a light workout. A college spokesman said he had no apparent health problems and an autopsy has been ordered.

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BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Cornerback **Nelson Munsey** has been signed by Minnesota Vikings to replace **Nate Wright**, who suffered a broken arm Sunday in the team's last game of the National Football League schedule against Oakland. Munsey, a seven-year NFL veteran, was released by Baltimore Colts early this year.

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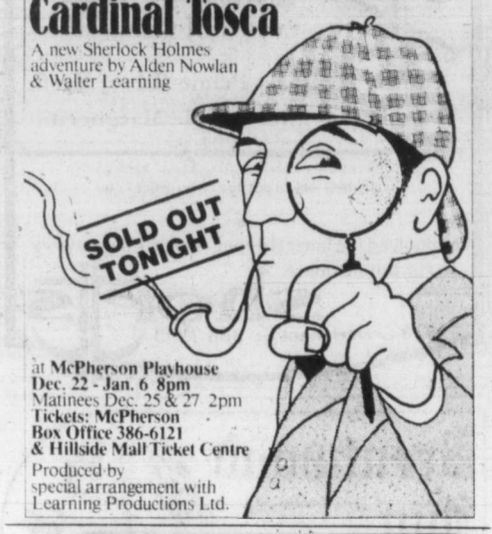

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PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) — Detroit Lions quarterback Greg Landry, who lost his job to Gary Danielson this season, says he wants to be traded because "I'm not ready to hang up my shoes yet."

Landry, 32, might not get his sought-after ticket out of town, however, because coach Monte Clark says he needs a solid backup for Danielson.

Clark said he told Landry he understands his frustration, but that the National Football League club needs more than one quarterback. Clark did not rule out a trade, however.

By waiting until the season ended to request the trade, Landry honored a commitment he made to Clark in the summer when the quarterback signed a multi-year contract. "I pray I can do the right thing for everyone concerned," said Clark.

Landry ranks second in the club's history, behind Bobby Layne, in career attempts, completions, yards and touchdowns.

He has completed 909 of 1,670 pass attempts for 11,999 yards and 79 touchdowns.

"I just figure I can still play," Landry said. "I want to have an opportunity to play. I don't know what might happen here in the future.

I'm not in a position to say I want to be a backup quarterback for the next three or four years. I'm not ready to hang up my shoes yet."

Nicklaus picked

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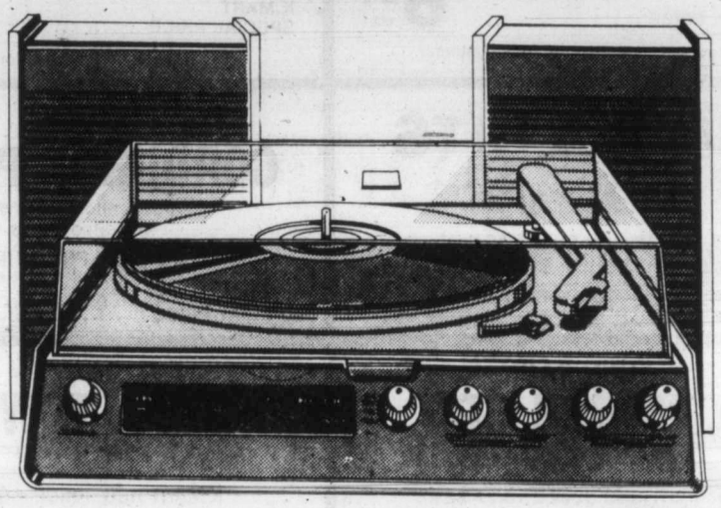

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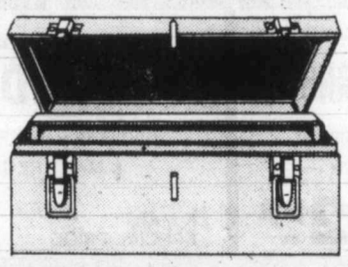

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OTTAWA (CP) — Cathy Sherk of Fonthill, Ont., winner of the Ontario, Canadian, United States and world amateur championships this year, tops the 1978 Canadian Ladies Golf Association rankings.

Sherk, who now plans to try the U.S. pro tour, was an easy leader over Gail Moore of Vancouver and Marlene Streit of Stoufville, Ont.

Michel Guilbault of Dorion, Que., topped the junior rankings with Dawn Coe of Cowichan Lake rated third.

The women's top 10:

1. Cathy Sherk, Fonthill, Ont.
2. Gail Moore, Vancouver.
3. Marlene Streit, Stoufville, Ont.
4. Michele Guilbault, Dorion, Que.
5. Lynn Cooke, Vancouver.
6. Debbie Morel, Trois-Rivieres, Que.
7. Stacey West, Toronto
8. Jackie Little, Edmonton.
9. Pam Falk, Winnipeg
10. Carol McGahan, Strathroy, Ont.

The top 10 juniors:

1. Michel Guilbault.
2. Karin Mundinger, Toronto.
3. Dawn Coe, Cowichan Lake.
4. Jill Johnson, Ganges, B.C.
5. Brenda Burns, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
6. Josee Perusse, Asbestos, Que.
7. Rebecca Stark, Halifax, and Wendey Swift, Lloydminster, Sask.
9. Linda Rankin, Calgary
10. Monique Berard, Sorel, Que.

New tourneys

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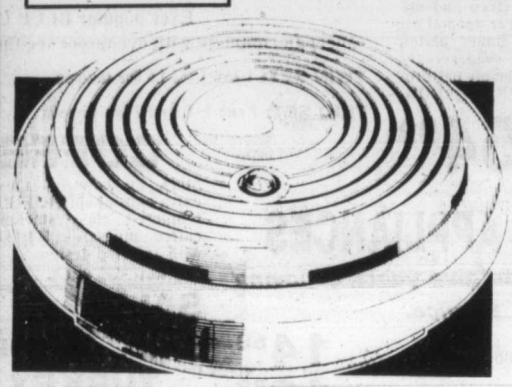

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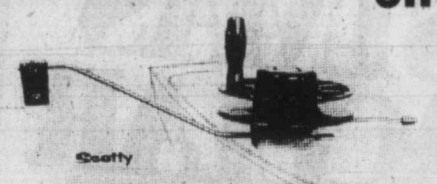

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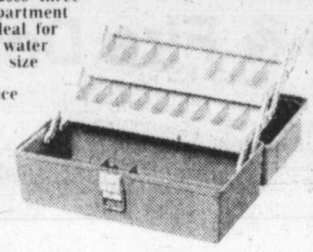

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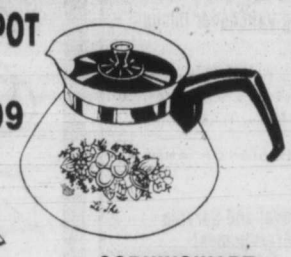

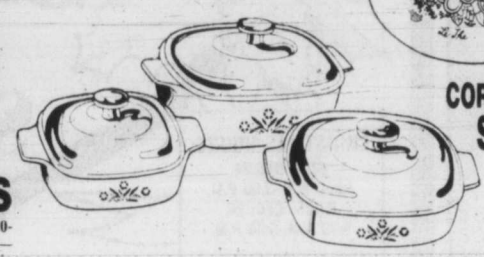

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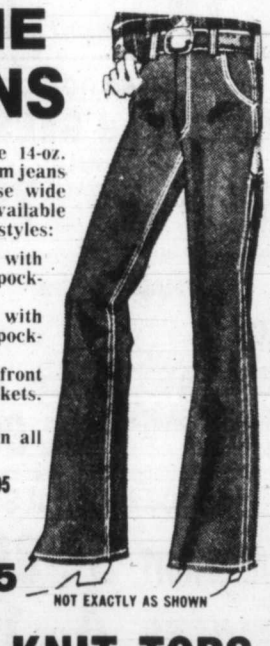

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Jack Medley as world's greatest detective

Star sheds case of super sleuth

By JIM GIBSON
Colonist reporter

It's elementary, my dear reader, that any actor portraying Sherlock Holmes would know all the super sleuth's cases by heart.

But in a recent interrogation of Jack Medley, starring in Bastion's holiday Holmesian fare, *The Incredible Murder of Cardinal Tosca*, some disturbing clues emerged. The deduction was conclusive— Medley is no big fan of Holmes.

"Maybe I've read one or two Holmes things," said Medley who carelessly let slip that he didn't particularly care for Watson's mentor or, as it was soon deduced, any of the other literary detectives. What other conclusion could be drawn from a man who refers to the creator of Hercule Poirot as "Agony Christie"?

So when Medley made his debut as the Holmes character in Walter Learning's and Alden Nowlan's *Tosca* early this year at Theatre New Brunswick, he didn't sit down with *The Speckled Band* or *The Hounds of the Baskerville* for clues to interpret the role. Instead, he read a Sir Arthur Conan Doyle biography.

"I found that far more interesting than Holmes," he said.

"He (Doyle) eventually hated the man. He wouldn't let his name be spoken in house and once slapped his son for saying it. He felt that Holmes interfered with his really serious writing career."

In the same book, he discovered that Doyle had patterned his great detective on his medical school tutor who, as a brilliant diagnostician, could determine a disease with little more than a glance at the patient.

It was all helpful stuff but still Medley was wary of a well known role despite the fact that both the plot and play were brand new.

"I was so afraid of doing an imitation of Basil Rathbone (the most famous portrayer of Holmes). I purposefully didn't watch any of his movies.

"I tried to play against Basil Rathbone but it was difficult as it really has to be played in that style."

While Holmes is to be considered a genius, he isn't to be thought dour, according to Medley.

"It's necessary to find the humor in the man and the actor.

"He was an actor—that's why he kept Watson around. When Watson got married and moved out of their rooms, Holmes went onto cocaine."

If Medley doesn't bring both these qualities to his Holmes he fears the character could fast become a bore, mouthing an endless string of acute observations.

And the role also requires some lightning-fast delivery from Medley.

"I have to go through it like an express train and still keep the light and shading."

But for all the role's demands, he hasn't found it too difficult.

"Maybe it's because I enjoy him too much," said Medley who had earlier claimed at least indifference to the Holmes' tales.

Medley is not alone in enjoying Holmes on stage. Audiences are flocking to what appears to be a renaissance of Holmes-inspired plays. Including *Tosca*, he came up with five new Holmesian stage plays in recent years.

Medley is at a bit of a loss to explain the renewed interest in Holmes. It isn't just the popularity of mysteries but the great entertainment value that comes with a character from the stylish Victorian era.

Although audiences undoubtedly regard *Tosca* as great fun, Medley said, an actor can't afford to spoof it up.

"You must play it with complete sincerity. If we seem to be camping, it won't seem real."

While Medley was in on almost the first drafts of the script ("I think I can take credit for a number of situations in the play") in those Theatre New Brunswick rehearsals, he has found a somewhat changed script from the one he toured throughout Ontario last spring. The second act has been re-written around the same plot line but changing some characters.

"It wasn't so much learning new lines but when to say them as cues are coming from entirely different characters."

Nor will Medley's Holmes be a faithful recreation of his character from the initial production. Director Ron Ulrich has helped Medley find new aspects, particularly the humorous side of Holmes, but Medley claims there isn't much more that can be done with the role.

"There really isn't that much depth in it," said Medley, who has spent 30 years between British "rep" and every major theatre, except the Stratford Festival and the Vancouver Playhouse, in Canada.

Ritual of excess

TORONTO (CP) — Larry Gordon is trying to take the "sell-abration" out of Christmas.

"The price tag has become equated with emotion," Gordon said in a weekend interview. "The more you love someone, the more money you will spend . . . Christmas has become a consumer ritual of extravagance and excess."

Columnist tops ballots

Landers
. . .'most influential woman in America'

Ann Landers has been selected the "most influential woman in America" in the World Almanac's fourth annual selection of America's 25 most influential women, it was announced last week.

The nationally syndicated columnist topped the balloting in the World Almanac's poll of those women "who either behind the scenes or in the public eye, influence thoughts and events in America."

Landers was honored along with a prestigious group of women that included financial expert Sylvia Porter and humorist Erma Bombeck.

Miss Landers was also honored by the American Medical Association Dec.3, when they awarded her their citation for distinguished service, in recognition of "her dedication to accurate medical reporting and candid writing on health subjects."

In the past, Miss Landers has been named "Woman of the Year" for sex national organizations. She is a member of the Visiting Committee for Harvard Medical School and the National Board of the American Cancer Society, as well as a trustee of Meharry Medical School, the Menninger Foundation and Deree-Pierce College in Athens, Greece.

Miss Landers has received a presidential citation for her work on alcoholism and was also named one of America's most influential women by United Press International.

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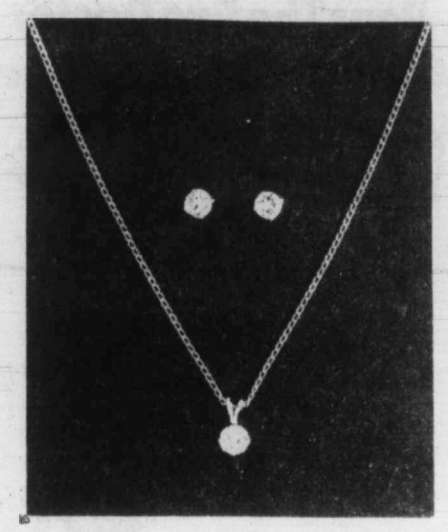

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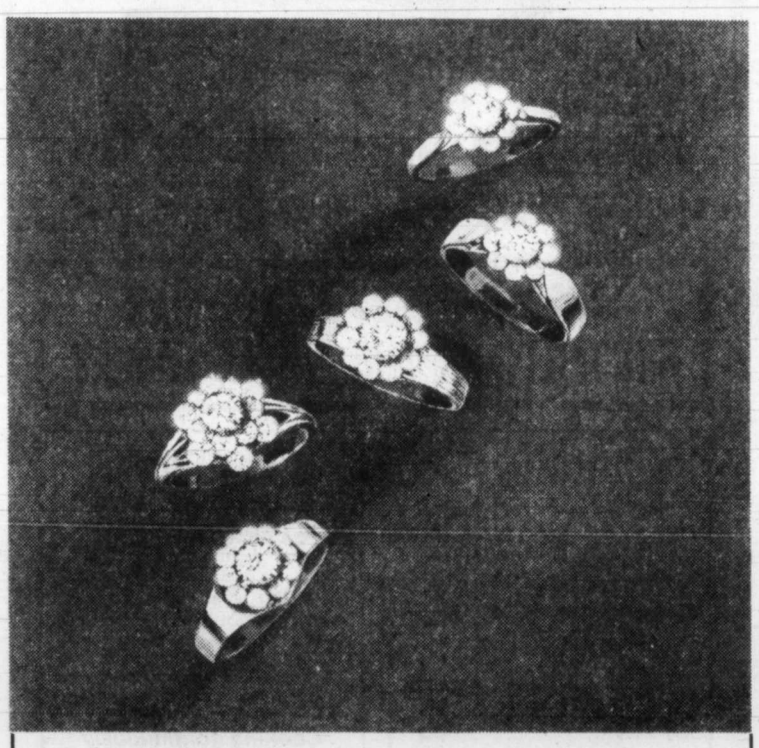

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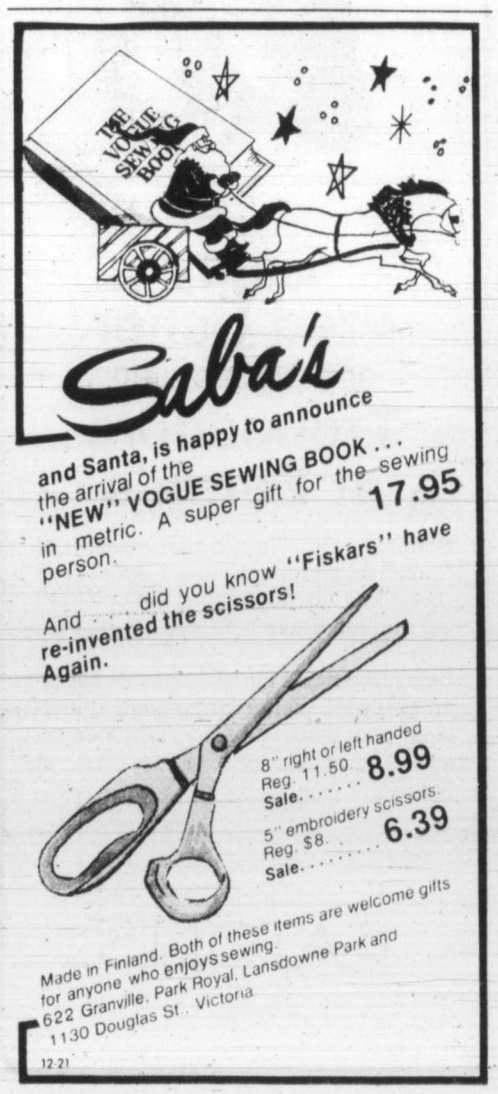

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Island champions saluted at banquet

By MARILYN McCALL

Highlights of the past weekend included a year-end awards banquet and horse show.

Vancouver Island Horse Council held their annual banquet, awards and dance on Saturday night at Luxton. Trophies and ribbons were presented to champions and reserve champions in each of the events and to each age division.

Senior performance champion in western events was Cindy Heslop, who rode Apache to the championship in trail horse, reining horse, and stock horse. Reserve champion was Linda McKnight who rode Buck to the championship in western equitation and reserve championship in trail horse and western riding horse.

RIDING Bob's Mistake, Marilyn McCall received the championship in western riding horse, and the reserve championship in reining horse and stock horse. Tied for reserve championship in reining was Patti Craycroft, riding Penny Cool. Brian Rimmer and Leo Ben Bingo were champions in western pleasure and reserve champions in western equitation.

In showmanship at halter, champion was Marion Szepat and Miss Cricket Dandy, and reserve champion was Melanie Dayton, riding Cheritas Dial. Reserve champion in western pleasure was Lynn McKinney, who was riding Harbour Holiday.

JUNIOR A western performance champion was Jordan Hett, riding Tadpole Boy. Jordan and Tadpole were champions in showmanship at halter, trail horse, western pleasure, western equitation, and reserve champions in western reining horse. Tracey Horner and Palo Colorado were reserve champions in the performance division, winning reserve championship in showmanship at halter, western pleasure, and western equitation.

PENNY Gauthier and Bay Bee Rastus won the championship in both western riding horse and western reining horse. Reserve champion in trail horse was Russell Smith, riding Sierra Fred. In western riding horse, Karen Telford won reserve championship, riding Golden Tears.

Junior B performance champion was Tannis Hett, who rode Miss Melita to championship in showmanship at halter, western trail horse, western pleasure, western equitation, and reserve championship in western riding horse and western reining horse.

SHARON Szepat and Gypsy Bee were reserve champions in performance. Sharon won the championship in western pleasure (tied with Tannis), western riding horse (tied with Hope Irvin), and reserve championship in western trail horse, and western equitation.

Hope Irvin and Lady Gay were champions in western riding horse (tied with Sharon), and reserve champions in showmanship at halter. Riding Amigo, Marnie Hancock won the championship in western reining horse and reserve championship in western pleasure, and western riding horse (tied with Tannis).

THE OPEN English championship went to Pat Holmes and J F Gay Blade. Pat won the championship in open English pleasure and open hunter hack. Reserve champion was Andrea Hyciek, who rode Panic Field to championship in open show hack, and reserve championship in open English pleasure.

In open road hack, Leslie Blackstock, riding Gypsy's Morning Star, was champion. Reserve championship was tied between April Irvin, riding Skip's Irish Dee, and Marion Szepat, riding Miss Cricket Dandy, April was also reserve champion in open show hack. Reserve championship in open hunter hack went to Jordan Hett and Joshua.

SENIOR games champion was Rod Rimmer, who rode Ali Kat to championship in stakes, flags, and barrels. Reserve champion was Gary Massey, who rode Apache to championship in pole bending and scurry race, and reserve championship in stakes and barrels. Reserve championship in pole bending went to Melanie Dayton and Cherry, as did reserve championship in scurry.

Cindy Heslop and Apache were reserve champions in flags.

JUNIOR A games champion was Dale Rimmer, who rode Sunny June to championship in pole bending, stakes, flags, barrels, and reserve championship in scurry. Suzanne Hancock, riding Pogo Star, was reserve champion, winning championship in scurry, and reserve championship in pole bending. Reserve championship in stakes went to Karen Telford and Golden Tears. Branda Foreman and Misty were reserve champions in flags. Riding Lady's First, Rob Campbell was reserve champion in barrels.

JUNIOR B games champion was Marnie Hancock, riding Amigo. Marnie won the championship in pole bending, stakes, barrels, and reserve championship in scurry. Reserve games champion was Hope Irvin, who rode Lady Gay to championship in scurry and flags, and reserve championship in pole bending, stakes, and barrels. Donnie Foreman, riding Rustell, was reserve champion in flags.

WINNER of the Raymond Nichols Memorial trophy for over all high points for the year was won by Marnie Hancock, who rode her horse Amigo in the Junior B events.

The last horse show of the year was held at Oak Meadows on the weekend; Philip May judged the show. Riding Morning Music, Judy Ross won equitation hunt seat 15 and over and working hunter 3'3". Susan Stanlake and Victoria Station took first place in junior hunter under saddle, road hack, and open working hunter under saddle. Mounted on Super Nova, Louise Berry was first in junior working hunter, open working hunter, and hunter hack.

WORKING hunter 2'6" was won by Julie Spreen, on Island Imp. In novice working hunter, Cathy Wilson and High Calibre were first. Tracey Madson and Dream Whip won equitation hunt seat 14 and under. Riding Princess, Karine Tregear won amateur hunter. Ann Allen rode Tiara to first place in amateur English pleasure. Show hack was won by Cathy Wilson, riding Egyptian Armour.

Riders are reminded of the upcoming George Morris clinic, to be held at Oak Meadows Jan. 16 to 18. George Morris' areas of expertise include hunt seat equitation and jumping, having written a book on the former. Cost for the three days will be $145 (in U.S. funds), and the cost for spectators will be $20 per day (also in U.S. funds). Riders from as far away as Alberta have expressed interest in coming to Oak Meadows. The clinic is filling fairly quickly, and interested riders are asked to contact Trudy Madson (479-6843) for more information.

There will be no Horse Happenings for the next two weeks in observance of the Christmas and New Year holidays; the next column will appear on Jan. 11. I would like to take this opportunity to wish all readers a very Merry Christmas and a new year filled with all the happiness that can come from owning a horse.

COMING EVENTS

Jan. 16-18: George Morris clinic — Oak Meadows — hunt seat equitation and jumping — (479-6843).

Horse Happenings

Guards battling sex-bias charge

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian Human Rights Commission has decided to set up its first tribunal to solve the case of a young Montreal woman barred from joining the colorful all-male Grenadier Guards on Parliament Hill.

A commission spokesman said Wednesday that the three-member tribunal will hold a public inquiry into Nathalie Bedard's claim that the department of national defence is guilty of sexual discrimination by refusing to let her join the guards for the summer.

The spokesman said the tribunal was established because there was no hope of settling the dispute through conciliation. It is the first time a tribunal has been established by the commission since operations began last spring.

Three members will be appointed to the tribunal within the next few days and a hearing will be held within a few weeks, he said. No date has been set.

Iran quake kills 59

TEHRAN (AP) — An earthquake that rocked the mountain region of Iran's southwestern Khuzestan province last Thursday killed at least 59 persons, the state-run Iran radio said Wednesday. The quake, registering 5.5 on the Richter scale, destroyed or badly damaged 300 villages.

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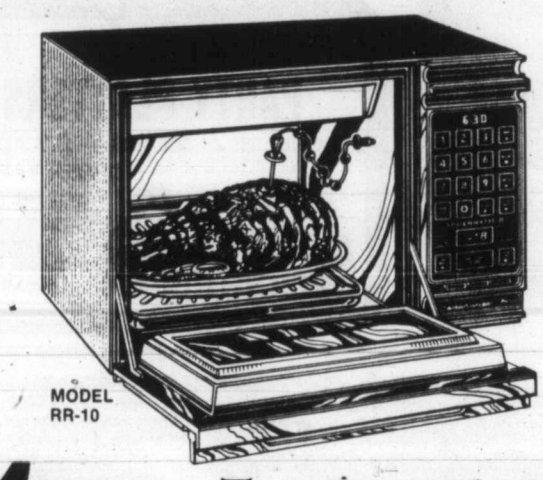
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OTTAWA (CP) — Companies making aluminum roasting pans will be asked to include a warning on the label advising users to place a cookie sheet or other extra support under the pans when cooking a heavy bird or roast, a consumer affairs deparment spokesman said this week.

Jim Black, director of the department's product safety branch, said recent tests show unsupported pans fold in the middle when picked up.

"If you take one of these pans and put a 20-pound bird in them, the middle collapses (when the pan is lifted) and it ends up like a big pouring spout which can pour hot grease or oil all over you or a small child standing near the stove," he said.

He cautioned consumers to place a "good solid cookie sheet, the bottom of your grill pan, or failing all else, a gloved hand underneath the aluminum pans to support them."

The department conducted its tests after a woman received severe burns to her legs while using a pan without placing anything underneath it for support.

He said the department will write to the four companies which sell the roasting pans in Canada asking them to include on a label information about the need for support and the maximum weight for which the pan should be used.

If the companies failed to put the warning on their label, the department could bring in legislation under the Hazardous Products Act forcing them to do so, he said. But he said he thought the companies would comply with the department's wishes on a voluntary basis.

Your Good Health

Dear Dr. Ruble: For almost a month and a half I had recurring attacks of what seemed to be stomach or intestinal flu. When my diarrhea got to be a real problem I went to my doctor. He took stool samples and found a parasite called "giardia." He prescribed the old malaria medicine, Atabrine, which I took for a week. It helped right away.

Where could this have come from, and could a week's treatment have killed the bug? Four years ago, when we were in Mexico I became mildly ill with some diarrhea, which continued for four weeks. Could this parasite have been dormant in my intestinal tract all that time? — **Mrs. W.R.M.**

The organism is called "Giardia lambia," a common intestinal parasite that may infest visitors to any area where sanitary facilities are primitive. The last patient I treated for this "traveller's diarrhea" had just returned from a trip to Leningrad, Russia, so it is no respecter of climate or geography.

There is some disagreement as to just how potent the organism is in causing such symptoms as diarrhea. Many may harbor it indefinitely without discomfort. In others it may cause the diarrhea, along with abdominal swelling, flatulence and general malaise. It is possible you had it in your intestines all that time, and that it suddenly decided to "get busy." Its presence must be verified by stool examination. The usual route of entry is from hand to mouth, which is why great care should be taken in this regard by travellers.

Finally, giardassi is frequently accompanied by amoebic infestation, the familiar amoebic dysentery. Both the conditions have been treated successfully with the anti-malarial medicine Atabrine. Malartia is another form of parasite invasion. Any prolonged or frequent diaarhea warrants a stool examination.

Dear Dr. Ruble: I have a hiatal hernia, and am 5 feet, 8 inches tall, weighing 210. My doctor told me I would have to lose 50 pounds before they could do surgery. After that, he said, I may not need surgery anyway because I would not be bothered. Please tell me if this is correct. — **B.T.**

Couldn't have stated matters any better than that. This is sensible advice. The loss of flab in the upper abdominal area (where the gullet hernia is) may relieve pressure sufficiently to ease your discomfort.

ann landers

Dear Ann Landers: A few years ago you ran a letter from a teacher who gave some great advice to mothers. You printed it after Christmas in 1972 or 1973. This year you print it BEFORE Christmas? Thank you, friend. — **Florida Mom**

Dear Flo: Gladly. Here it is:

Dear Ann: I'm a fourth grade schoolteacher and there are thousands like me.

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10. A gross pencils because some parents think the original back-to-school box lasts as long as a pregnancy.
11. Some home-made goodies because most teachers don't have time to bake. Thanks a million. — DeKalb, Illinois.

And now some added suggestions from me: A handkerchief is always a useful gift. Or a good hairbrush, or a set of pillow cases, or a simple checkered tablecloth, or a travel alarm clock, or a jar of homemade marmalade or jelly. Or, if money is tight, a nice letter of thanks for her or his patience and concern, which could be the best gift of all.

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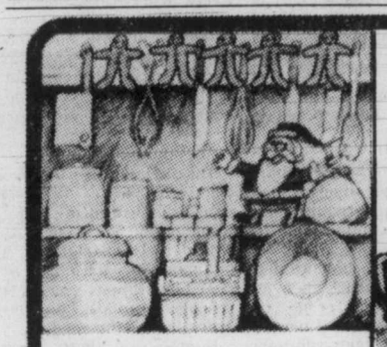
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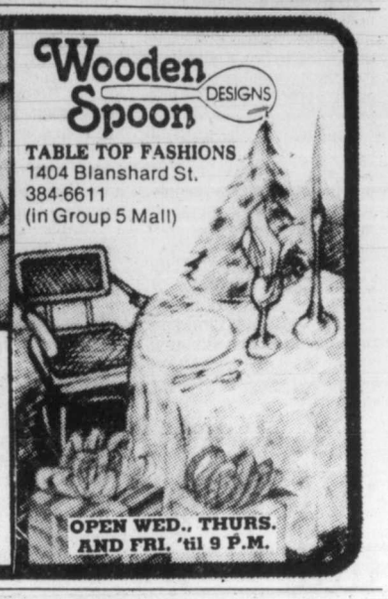
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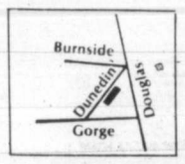

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Sex bylaw hits snags

Protests force revisions in Hamilton

HAMILTON (UPI)—The city of Hamilton, faced with stormy public protest, will rewrite its "sex parlor" bylaw to change licence fees and regulations for stores that sell erotic literature, alderman Jim MacDonald said Wednesday.

MacDonald, chairman of the legislation committee that recommended the original Adult Entertainment Parlor bylaw, said opponents also protested that magazine stores licensed under the bylaw would have had the "connotations of an adult entertainment parlor".

Opponents of the proposal called it ludicrous, MacDonald said. "We've had so much flak from the people, yet, some council members think the bylaw is just fine."

He said he expected the legislation committee to lower or eliminate the licensing fee and eliminate the regulation that sex literature must be separated from other types of publications.

Mayor Jack MacDonald said the bylaw was drafted too hastily and that the "licence fee is contrary to natural justice where the local authority uses regulatory fees to discourage businessmen."

Mayor MacDonald and Ald. MacDonald decided on Dec. 8 to hold a public hearing because of a flood of objections to the bylaw, which would have set fees as high as $3,000 and regulated the location of sex-parlor businesses.

City licence administrator Steven Dembe said, "We don't want another Yonge Street and we don't want our young people confronted" with a strip of body-rub parlors and sex shops. Such businesses now require only a simple commercial licence.

The city, he said, wanted to avoid incidents such as the murder in Toronto of shoeshine boy, Emanuel Jacques at a body-rub parlor.

"We want to be reasonable," said Dembe. "We're not looking to be restrictive. We want to keep them (sex publications and services) from the minors. There's too much access right now."

Hamilton's Adult Entertainment Parlor Act is based on provincial legislation which allows municipalities to regulate and police businesses which offer "services appealing to or designed to appeal to erotic or sexual appetites or inclinations."

The 37-page bylaw proposal contains 11 categories and deals with everything from the sale and presentation of erotic literature to fees, location and advertising of rub parlors, strip joints and nude waitressing.

Store owners who sell sex literature—including skin magazines—would have to pay a $100 licence fee. The regulations order the operator to set the products on a stand six feet high (out of reach of minors), the products must be in an opaque wrapper allowing only the name and price to show, and the customer cannot read the item in the store.

Other categories require $1,000 licences and cover goods for sale in any medium such as films, slides, records and audio tapes. The bylaw also covers "services designed to appeal to erotic or sexual appetites or inclinations" and includes any service in premises that advertise the words "nude, naked, topless, bottomless, or sexy." This type of licence would cost $3,000.

The bylaw also defines where businesses in most categories can locate. They would not be able to operate within three-quarters of a kilometer of each other, or near institutions such as schools, hospitals, churches or homes for the aged.

Dembe said there is no limit to the number of licences that the city would approve but licencees could not hold more than one nor could a holder of a licence under the Theatres Act or Liquor License Act obtain a sex parlor licence.

'Victim did killing'

OTTAWA (CP)—The defence in the first degree murder trial of an Ottawa man charged in the shooting death of a Thunder Bay police officer ended its case Wednesday by calling to the witness stand a woman who was previously found not guilty of participating in the killing of Constable John Kusznier.

Testifying under protection of the Canada Evidence Act Lois Landers Grant, 28, of Vancouver, flatly denied prosecution suggestions that Richard Helmut Vonier, 26, gunned down Kusznier shortly after the constable killed Peter Cosgrove, 37, during a gun battle in the parking lot of Thunder Bay's Landmark Inn.

Grant told the court she saw Cosgrove turn and shoot the police officer moments after he was hit by a bullet from the constable's gun.

On Thursday, Mr. Justice R.C. Rutherford directed the Ontario Supreme Court jury to find Grant, who had been jointly charged with Vonier, not guilty in Kusznier's death.

The Crown contended Grant had knocked Constable Frank Sonego, Kusznier's partner, to the ground just as he was about to fire at Vonier.

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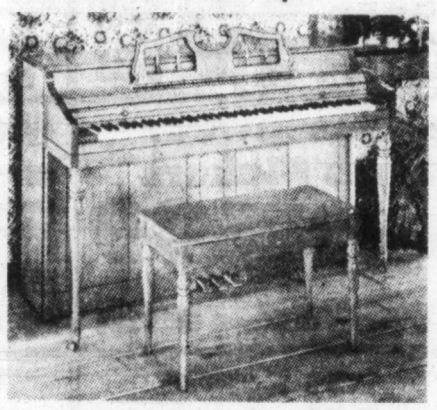

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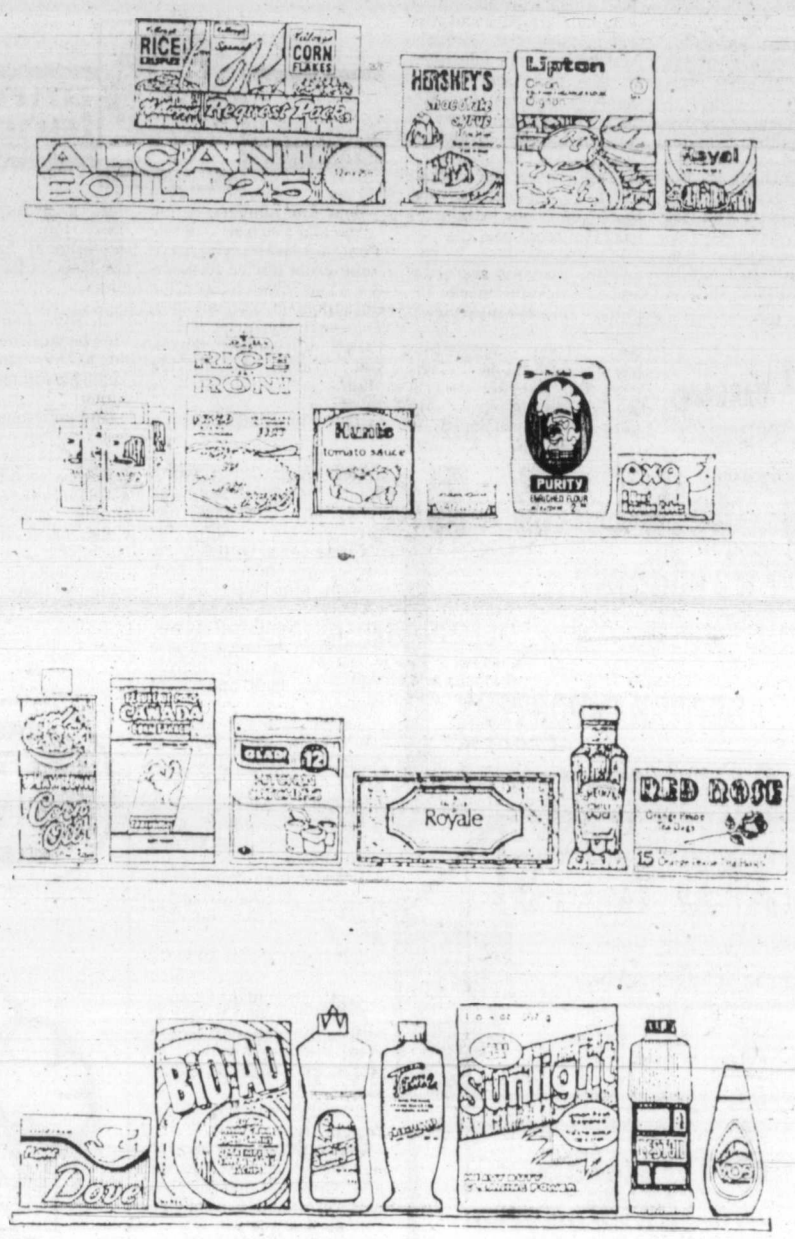

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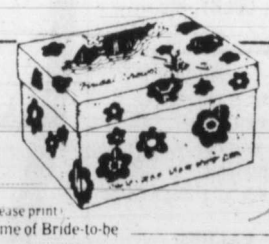

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Posters ask answers

PEKING (Reuter)—A poster-writer has taken issue with Senior Vice-Premier Teng Hsiao-ping's emphasis on unity, stability and economic progress in China, saying these could not succeed without reforms in social and political systems also.

The writer did not appear to be attacking Teng, but was merely seeking answers to major questions of policy in the country.

"What king of modernization does China hope to realize?" asked the 18-page poster, dated Monday. "The Soviet type, the American type, the Japanese type, the Yugoslav type?

"On these issues the masses know nothing."

The poster appeared to be one of the more eloquent and better argued writings to appear on Peking's "Democracy Wall" since a public political debate broke out in the Chinese capital a month ago.

Calling for major reforms in the social and political system in China, the writer added: "This movement for social progress is more significant than any other in the 30 years since the founding of the new China."

China needs not only economic modernization, but also modernization of a political system that had been modelled on the Soviet Union.

"It is a system that produces bureaucracy and a privileged stratum," he said. "Without changes in this system, the four modernizations will stop halfway or become even more like the Russian type, where the state is strong and the people are poor.

"The Russians are better off than the Chinese, but are still poor when compared with people in advanced Western countries."

People concerned with modernization and China's future should consider how to get rid of bureaucracy and prevent the rise of a privileged stratum, he added.

The writer referred to the late Communist party Chairman Mao Tse-tung's comment to Hua Kuo-feng, the present party chairman and premier: "With you in charge, I am at ease."

The poster writer suggested Mao was saying that he was at ease in the knowledge that Hua would carry on Maoist policies and oppose the return to power of Vice-Premier Teng.

"But consider: Could Chairman Mao have been at ease when Hua Kuo-feng encouraged the masses to re-evaluate Chairman Mao's mistakes and achievements? Would Chairman Mao be at ease when Hua complained about the treatment of (the late Defence Minister) Peng Teh-huai?

"Would he have been at ease when Hua Kuo-feng sent a team to review the case against (former head-of-state) Liu Shao-chi? Would Chairman Mao have been at ease when Hua Kuo-feng reversed the system and gave back private plots of land to the peasants with the people's livelihood in mind?

"If the soul lives on after death, Hua Kuo-feng must tremble for what he has done."

The poster writer maintained that inner-party political struggles, especially within the party central committee, should be made clear to party members and the great masses.

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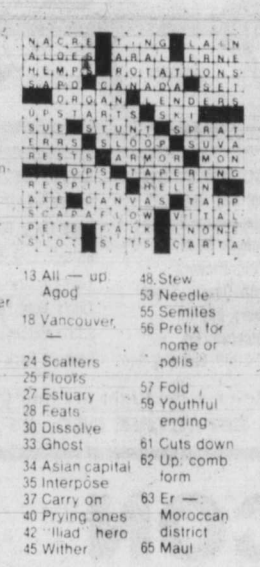

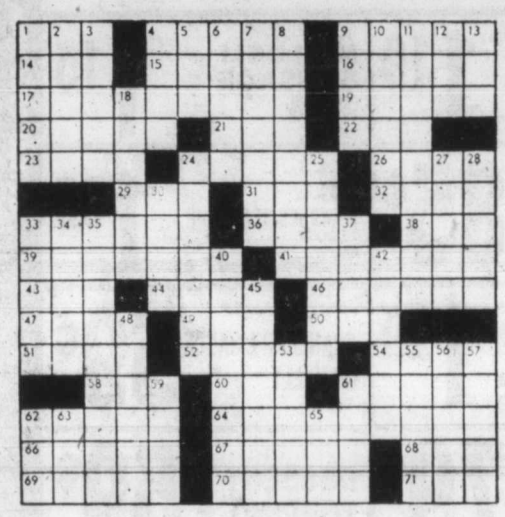

Soviets drop cameras onto Venus

MOSCOW (UPI)—A Soviet spacecraft flew into the outer fringes of Venus Tuesday, split in two and dropped a package of TV cameras and other scientific equipment onto the hot, cloud-covered planet.

Moscow Radio reported the Venera-12, one of two unmanned spacecraft launched by the Soviet Union in September, had arrived and separated into two parts.

The radio report made no mention of Venera-11, another Venus probe launched Sept. 9.

The Soviet Venera-12 spaceship, which had been launched Sept. 14, arrived two weeks after the arrival of two U.S. Venus spacecraft.

Unlike the American spacecraft, which sent four smaller probes crashing onto the Venusian surface, each Soviet spacecraft was programmed to separate into two parts.

One of the parts, carrying television cameras and other scientific equipment, was due to make a soft landing on the surface of Venus and the other half was programmed to fly past the planet deeper into space.

The Soviet Union has successfully soft-landed scientific equipment on Venus in the past.

The Soviet and U.S. missions were planned separately, but arrived at Venus at roughly the same time because the two planets are closer to each other than usual.

On its way to Earth's nearest planet neighbor, the Soviet spacecraft had already studied the characteristics of solar wind, cosmic rays, ultraviolet and x-ray radiation and gamma rays.

After separating into two parts, the fly-by portion passed within 24,000 miles of the planet. It will serve as a reflector to bounce back radio signals from the landing probe.

The Soviet Union launched its first probe—Venus 1—toward Earth's sister planet in 1961. Five years later, Soviet scientists crashed two spacecraft into Venus' surface in the first succesful flight to a planet outside Earth.

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The requirement says all future arts students must have a full credit in Canadian studies from an approved list before graduating.

The petition asked the senate to reject the requirement at this time "because of the controversial nature of the proposal, as exemplified by the discord at every stage of its movement through the various bodies of arts faculty."

University President Burt Mathews told the senate a decision should be made now because the deadline for next year's calendar, which outlines the university's programs, would have passed by the next senate meeting.

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For 'sensitive compartmented information'

Curtain lifted on super-secret room

By RONALD J. OSTROW
Colonist-Los Angeles Times Service

WASHINGTON — In a little-used hall on the sixth floor of the Justice Department is a windowless conference room with foot-thick walls and a bank-vault door that bears a label saying it would take an interloper 20 hours to manipulate the lock.

Intelligence experts built the room a year ago to handle the department's increasing involvement in intelligence activities, one of them explained this week.

It is particularly suited to discussing "sensitive compartmented information," a heretofore undisclosed category of classified government material that is even more restricted than secret information that is to be disseminated only to those with a "need to know."

These and related signs of mounting emphasis on security here emerged from a pretrial hearing on the FBI break-in case as defence lawyers argued that witnesses are inhibited when they must be questioned in such surroundings and when they must sign oaths stating that they will not disclose secret information. The lawyers claimed such practices place "an incredible burden" on defence attorneys.

The problems for defence lawyers — and prosecutors — raised by trying cases in which classified information is involved are becoming more evident as Attorney General Griffin B. Bell's policy of no longer shying from the sensitive prosecutions takes hold.

Alan I. Baron, representing former acting FBI Director L. Patrick Gray III, complained about a requirement that Gray review his own grand-jury testimony only in the privacy of the vault room in the Justice Department. Some of that testimony was placed in the sensitive compartmented information, or SCI, category, and the prosecution moved to withhold substantial portions of it from courtroom use.

Baron and lawyers for Gray's co-defendants, W. Mark Felt, No. 2 man in the FBI under Gray, and Edward S. Miller, former assistant FBI director for domestic intelligence, argued that interviewing witnesses in the vault room and requiring them to sign oaths about "SCI" material virtually assured their silence.

Gray, Felt and Miller are scheduled to go on trial Jan. 22 on charges of conspiring to violate the civil rights of friends and relatives of Weatherman terrorists by authorizing break-ins and other allegedly illegal tactics to find the fugitives.

Barnet D. Skolnik, chief of the prosecution team, countered that the defence was trying "to have it both ways" — by "lassoing into the case as much classified, sensitive material as possible" and then claiming it cannot abide by security rules governing the documents.

Chief U.S. District Judge William B. Bryant indicated that despite the defence objections he would sign the protective order the government is seeking for the SCI material.

The 14-by-34 foot room contains tables stretching most of its length, security posters on the wall, ceiling lights controlled by a dimmer switch and two telephones with levers that must be depressed before they will transmit conversation.

Jerry Rubino, assistant director for security programs, described the room, as "accoustically secure," noting that its foot-thick gypsum and glass fibre walls are designed to keep sound inside the room, that it is located along no major corridor and that it is "swept" periodically to check for electronic listening devices.

"It has as much confidence as we can give you that the room is not bugged," Rubino said.

Perhaps most illustrative of the government's security concern, however, was the revelation at the court hearing that the prosecutors themselves are the subjects of a security investigation to determine why they turned over to the defence classified material that it was not entitled to.

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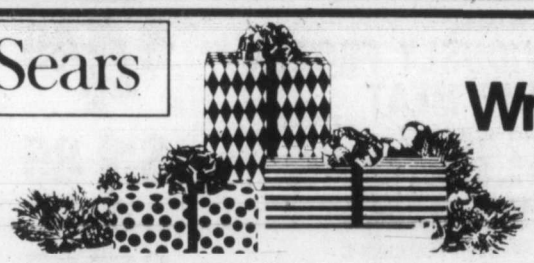

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Some quotes we'd like to have seen

By DON COLLINS
Colonist reporter

As 1978 lies on its deathbed, you may find it difficult to avoid those traditional accounts of what the newsmakers did and said during the year.

This offering, however, is something different. It is what the newsmakers could have, or perhaps should have, said.

Examples:

Judge to prostitute: "Your bench or mine?"

Prime Minister Trudeau, on the threat by Indians to dig up the skeleton of Sir John A. Macdonald: "I knew the Tories were having a leadership problem. But this is ridiculous."

Prime Minister Ian Smith of Rhodesia, speaking candidly about his resistance to change: "Can an entire nation be taught to spell Zimbabwe? Or even to pronounce it? I think not."

Federal Opposition Leader Joe Clark, on national unity: "Trudeau's idea of unity is to give everyone something in common—like unemployment."

Prostitute to judge: "It is not so much a question of whether the prostitute should be prosecuted, but whether the prosecutor has been prostituted."

Vancouver MP Simma Holt, on faith: "I reaffirm my belief in the existence of professional gangs of 10-year-old hit men. I also believe in Bigfoot, Mother Goose and the Tooth Fairy, Satan and the CRTC."

Premier Bennett, on the art of debate: "Since it is difficult to place cue cards in the Legislature, you should have your speech well rehearsed. Its thrust should be in the form of pointed questions which sound profound but in no way commit you to any answers."

President Carter to international affairs adviser: "What is a Zimbabwe?"

Alberta Premier Peter Lougheed, on brotherly love: "At great personal sacrifice to my family and myself, I am giving my next two months' supply of free Air Canada passes to Vietnamese refugees who were mistakenly directed to Alberta.

We in Alberta would have loved to have welcomed them as new citizens, but you can only do so much with a revenue surplus of not even $7 billion."

President Carter to advisers: "I sent Secretary Vance to all those S.A.L.T. talks because I thought they were about the kind of stuff that would go with my peanuts back home. Now you tell me it's all about arms limitations, right when I'm trying to go for an American record of $118 billion for defence in 1979.

"If S.A.L.T. works out, what are we going to do with all the weapons? Use them on the poor and the minorities who are always complaining?"

Judge to prostitute: "Would you like to be tried by a jury?"

Prostitute to judge: "Okay, but there's no special group rate."

Helping arm of law distributes $15,000 aid

Close to $15,000 in cheques was dispensed Wednesday afternoon by the Victoria City Police Athletic Association to 11 organizations.

The money represented most of the money the association received from the 1978 circus sponsored annually by the group.

In all, $14,668.66 was handed out, while the organization retained $3,662.66 of the $18,331.32 total for sponsorship of minor sports activities through the year.

The association receives 20 per cent of the $91,566.60 gross ticket sales in return for the sponsorship.

The biggest cheque handed out by Mayor Michael Young of Victoria was for $4,000, presented to Dr. John Lehuquet, medical director of Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The money, which will be matched on a 50 per cent basis by the provincial government, is for diagnostic equipment for the hospital.

The Kiwanis Wheels Project received a $2,000 cheque and the Chinese Lions Club was given $1,968.66 for the Chinese Hospital on Herald Street.

The Capital Region Association for the Mentally Handicapped and the Wheelchair Sports Association got $1,500 each, the Victory Street School received $1,200 and City Organization Supporting Youth, Arbutus Crafts for Handicapped, George Pearkes Clinic, Queen Alexandra Solarium and Block Parent Project got a $500 cheque each.

Peter Voth, chairman of the association's circus committee, said next year's circus was scheduled for May 9 to 11 in Memorial Arena.

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Prison guards face trial

BURNABY (CP)—Four of seven guards charged with assaulting a prisoner at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre were committed for trial following a preliminary hearing Wednesday.

A ban on publication of evidence was ordered by Judge B.P. Bryne when the hearing began Monday.

Marvin Henderson, 38, Gordon House, 34, Hilary Sheppard, 31, and Dale Meldrum, 23, were ordered to stand trial in county court in New Westminster. No date was set for trial.

Brian Stark, John Tkachuk and John Bellis were not committed.

The charges were laid after Russell Elliott said he had been beaten by guards on July 8.

Henry Bjarnson, a prison spokesman, said the guards committed for trial would continue to work at their regular jobs.

Tax case papers rejected

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two summonses against a 38-year-old Vancouver lawyer for failing to file income tax returns have been thrown out of court on a legal technicality.

Walter Boytinck, who is also vice-president of Human Action to Limit Taxes, was facing charges of failing to file income tax returns in 1976 and 1977.

Boytinck said Wednesday both summonses were declared a nullity by Mr. Justice Lloyd McKenzie of the British Columbia Supreme Court because a 1975 amendment to the Criminal Code was omitted from the summonses.

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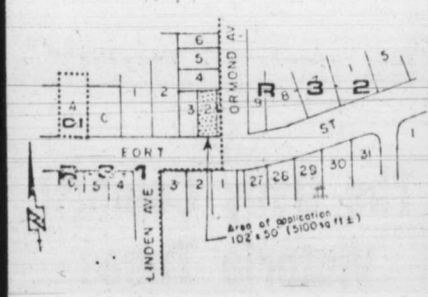

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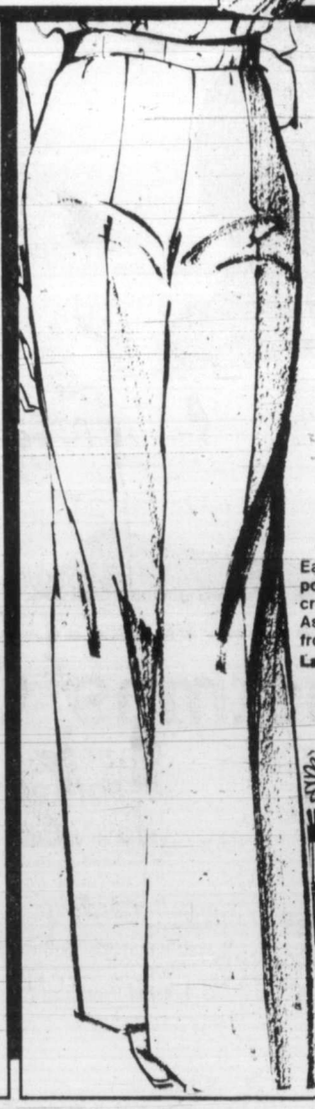

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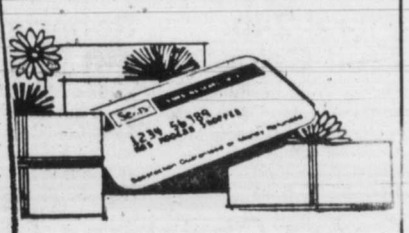

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Too many oil tankers in the world

Great white elephant of the seas

By WILLIAM C. REMPEL
Colonist-Los Angeles Times Service

NEW YORK — There are too many oil tankers in the world, a supply glut that makes the awesome supertanker today's great white elephant of the seas.

There are so many, in fact, that some ship owners are paying shipyards millions of dollars to cancel tanker orders placed early in the 1970s — before the surplus.

It reportedly cost one American company $7 million recently to cancel such an order. Some who did not cancel now own hundreds of millions of dollars in idle tankers.

Parts of the Mediterranean and the fiords of Norway look like tanker graveyards where empty ships lie at anchor, lashed together in neat rows.

Slightly used tankers are selling for little more than their scrap value. A 250,000 deadweight ton ship built three years ago for about $60 million for example, sells for $12 million. Deadweight tonnage includes the weight of all cargo fuel and stores.

And if these developments aren't bad enough, worse days may lie ahead because of potentially enormous oil reserves discovered in Mexico.

That was the warning to tanker industry planners by Arthur McKenzie, director of the Tanker Advisory Centre, during a World Trade Institute tanker seminar here.

"The Mexico discovery is bad news for the tanker industry — just as it is good news for consumers. A lot of people in our industry are going to lose their shirts," McKenzie told the seminar.

"Right now half of all the big ships in the world are surplus."

What makes the Mexico oil discovery so bad for tankers is its proximity to the United States — the world's super-consumer of oil.

The oil fields are close enough to use pipelines rather than ships to transport crude oil and refined products to the U.S.

If optimistic projections of Mexico's oil reserves are correct, it could mean that the U.S. neighbor has twice the oil of Saudi Arabia. Even by conservative estimates, Mexican fields "probably," exceed the Arab nation's reserves, McKenzie said.

The Mexican discoveries could not have come at a worse time for the tanker industry, which is suffering from the worst depression in its history.

Until recently the supertankers (called Very Large Crude Carriers or VLCCs) were hauling oil at freight rates below the cost of operating the ships — if, indeed, the ship could land a charter hire.

U.S. flag tankers have escaped the depression thanks to Alaskan oil. Foreign tankers are not allowed to carry Alaskan oil to U.S. ports, so American tankers have the lucrative trade exclusively.

While only about 3 percent of the world's tanker fleets fly American flags, a large percentage of the foreign-flag ships directly affected by the depression are controlled by American companies.

American and foreign shipyards figure to feel the impact of the depressed tanker market for some time. After years of expansion to meet heavy building demands, many yards have empty ship ways.

"I don't see any big ships being built for at least 15 years," McKenzie said. "And that doesn't even take into consideration what may be happening in Mexico."

The tanker glut was really born in the 1973 Arab oil embargo. Until then, worldwide oil demand was rising at a steep rate and tanker construction was keeping up with that demand.

When the demand dropped in the aftermath of the embargo and international recession, however, there was soon more space in cargo tanks than there was oil to fill them.

Today the excess tanker capacity is estimated to exceed 100 million tons — or enough idle tanker space to haul more than 500 billion gallons of oil, McKenzie said.

No country is unaffected. McKenzie said tanker fleets in Britain and Norway have been reduced 30 percent by early scrapping or sale of ships.

Japan, with one of the world's largest tanker fleets, is using many of its excess ships as floating storage tanks — loading oil reserves into tankers that are kept cruising at slow speeds around the north Pacific.

"This situation isn't likely to change any time soon," McKenzie predicted.

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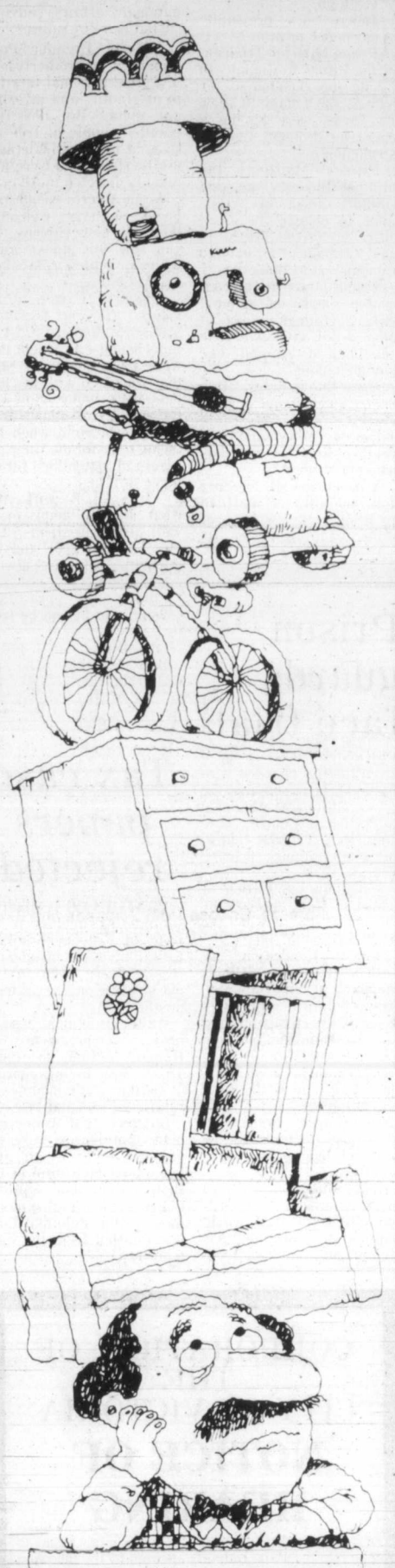

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Gardom rules out police break-in charges

In retrospect, acts appear unlawful, but legal questions murky, minister decides

Four policemen involved in what could have been illegal break-ins between 1972-76 will not be charged, Attorney-General Garde Gardom said Tuesday.

He made the statement as he released copies of a detailed report ordered after it was stated that 402 illegal break-ins had been committed by the police in the 1972-76 period.

It was subsequently discovered that only 41 of the 402 alleged infractions were "entries without appropriate authority," and that of that total, four "may have involved activities which were technically illegal."

GARDOM SAID that during the four-year period when the four incidents took place, there was a great deal of confusion among police authorities and legal advisers as to just how far a policeman could go in the execution of his duties.

Gardom said the anomalies existing in those years had been removed and every policeman in B.C. now knew that if he entered any premises, residential or other, without the necessary authorizations, he would be subject to prosecution.

The directive sent to all policemen, RCMP and municipal, this week states:

"IT IS appropriate for a police officer to enter a dwelling house either by invitation or proper legal authority. Proper legal authority includes: search warrants, writs of assistance, certain provisions in the Narcotic Control Act or Official Secrets Act, the privacy provisions of the Criminal Code and such authority as may be found in any federal or provincial act giving authority.

"Entering a premises without invitation or proper legal authority may result in disciplinary action; entering a premises and committing a criminal offence, albeit technical, provides grounds for prosecution."

But while Gardom said tough action would be taken from this point, he stressed that "it would not be in the public interest to charge the policemen involved more than three years ago in offences which at that time were not clearly defined as offences."

The four incidents were explained in detail by Gardom.

INCIDENT ONE: "This incident related to an entry into a locker. The locker was the property of an airline employee. The subject of the investigation was theft from the mails being transported by the airline. The locker in question was opened in the absence of the suspect. Present at the time were RCMP and airline investigators. A pair of pliers were removed and remain on police exhibit strength. It is felt they were used to create false crimp impressions for postal seals."

INCIDENT TWO: "This incident is related to a work order in the summer of 1975 . . . Specifically, an entry was made into the premises of a company in Vancouver to repair an audio device installed pursuant to an authorization. During the entry a search was made and a letter in the Chinese language was located, removed and retained. This letter was to be used in evidence. However, the subject pleaded guilty."

INCIDENT THREE: ". . . related to a counterfeit investigation in which approximately $1.3 million (face value) in counterfeit U.S. $20 bills were seized in a Vancouver warehouse. An entry was made into the warehouse based on intelligence gained from a legal intercept indicating counterfeit money was located at that point.

"Two boxes of money were in fact, found during this entry. Nothing was taken from the premises except for two boxes of counterfeit money which were removed and returned. Some samples were taken of the counterfeit money and the boxes marked secretly with ultraviolet pencil . . ."

There is a footnote to Incident Three stating that in retrospect it would have been impossible to obtain a duly authorized search warrant for the investigation.

INCIDENT FOUR: ". . . An entry was made into a suite in Kelowna. It was actually used as a darkroom for the purpose of making pornographic movies involving both juvenile and adult females. The premises were entered to substantiate that the suspect was, in fact, engaged in the activities indicated. Several negatives were removed and prints made . . . and the actual negatives returned to the premises . . ."

The report goes on to state that some months later a search warrant was sought for a raid on the premises, but that that darkroom and negatives had disappeared. The earlier prints taken from the accused person were sufficient, along with other evidence, to convict him.

GARDOM SAID he had provided the detail on the four incidents because he felt it important that the public know just what was involved and why the actions, although wrong in retrospect, were taken.

The investigation into the B.C. break-ins was started after the MacDonald Commission investigating RCMP wrongdoing was informed that as many as 402 police break-ins took place in B.C. during the stated four-year period.

It was established during the investigation that confusion had arisen when the evidence was presented to the commission as to the difference between an actual break-in and "a work order requesting assistance from the Security Equipment Section."

THE B.C. report, prepared by deputy attorney-general Richard Vogel and endorsed by Gardom, states that the work orders were originally thought to be records of actual illegal break-ins.

As a result of clarification, 212 cases were immediately removed from the list and subsequent investigations showed that of the remaining 190 alleged break-ins 148 were carried out with warrants or other forms of approved authorization.

Gardom said the remaining 41 cases were examined in detail, and it was finally established that only four stood in possible contravention of the law.

Gardom said the fact that he had decided not to press charges against the officers involved in the four cases did not mean he condoned their actions.

"WE DO NOT condone what was done," he said. "I am merely stating that in my opinion it would not be in the public interest to pursue the matter further. What was done now proves to have been probably illegal. But at the time of the incidents, they were carried out in good conscience."

To support his actions, Gardom quoted from Lord Shawcross, former attorney-general of England, who once said: "It has never been the rule in this country . . . that suspected criminal offences must automatically be the subject of prosecution . . . The public interest is the dominant consideration."

UN to hear UFO reports

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The United Nations, prodded by Grenada for four years to do something about unidentified flying objects (UFOs), invited members to report their observations and findings to the world body. Grenada Prime Minister Sir Eric Gairy, who says he has seen two UFOs, has conducted a lonely campaign in the UN to have the organization look into the UFO phenomenon.

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Wrap it up now!

Save $5

Kenmore pistol dryer. A welcome gift!

5a. She'll appreciate the extra time this speedy dryer will give her. 1400 watts give the fastest drying and styling results ever. Concentrated airflow zero's in to speed dry hair. Makes styling a breeze. Choose from 2 speeds and 3 heat combinations. Convenient table stand leaves hands free for styling. Comes with hang-up ring. 110 volts. Light Blue color. 08R 059 298.

29.99 Reg. $34.99

Sears: Health & Beauty (8) 24 Hour Teleshop

Save $3
Handy lighted make-up mirror
8.97 Reg. $11.99
Just the perfect gift for applying make-up, curling or blow-drying hair. Four 10-watt bulbs. Choice of the regular or magnified sides. 08R 062 070.

Save $7
Hand held shower massage
17.97 Reg. $24.99
Versatile hand-held shower massage. Has 5 feet of flexible tubing. Choice of 3 tingling massage settings. Perfect for the hard-to-buy people on your list! 08R 026 023

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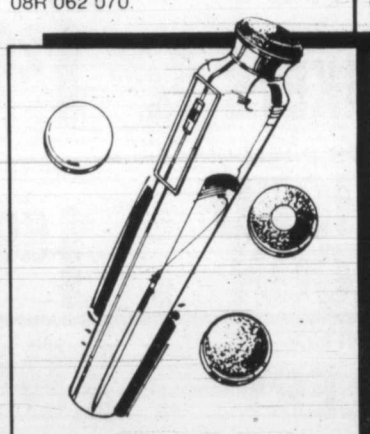


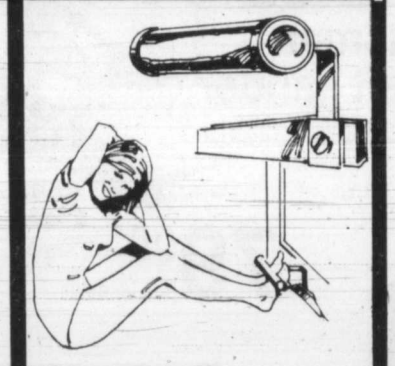
Save $4
Lady Kenmore manicure set
10.99 Reg. $14.99
5b. 4 attachments: fine grain wheel, medium-course grain wheel, callus wheel, high-gloss buffing wheel. Batteries incl. 08R 062 087.

Brut Gift Sets

Save $4
on set: After shave, creme, stick deodorant, lotion. Reg. $17 — 12.97

Save $2.53
on Brut soap-on-a-rope. Perfect for his shower! Reg. $10 ... — 7.47

Save $1.78
on Brut talc and lotion. Ideal for a stocking stuffer! Reg. $9.25 .. — 7.47



Save $2
Sit-a-Shape exerciser
8.97 Reg. $10.98
5d. Attacks problem areas: mid-section, flank, upper arms, legs. Chrome plated steel with foam. 08R 054 200.

Elizabeth Arden
Beautiful Bright Eyes collection with any Arden purchase you may buy this kit for an additional $9.50. Kit includes: 6 shadows, mascara, eye makeup remover, eye pencil.

Estee Lauder
Gift sets in Alliage fragrance. Choose from the following exciting gift ideas:
Dusting power and eau de Alliage $22
Soap and cologne spray 13.50
3 pear shaped soap $12

Ultima II
With any Ultima purchase you may purchase this kit for an additional $12.50.
Artist colour kit includes: 3 lipsticks and matching polish, 6 shadows, mascara, make-up brush, blush, Ciana fragrance. An excellent gift!

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HOURS
Shop 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Tuesday through Friday.
Shop Saturday, December 23, 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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OXFORD FOODS
271 COOK STREET
We reserve the right to limit quantities
PRICES EFFECTIVE WED., DEC. 20 to SAT., DEC. 23

DEVON BACON lb. 1.29
MAPLE LEAF WIENERS lb. 99¢
MAPLE LEAF SAUSAGE STICKS 1½ lbs. 1.79
IMPERIAL MARGARINE 3-lb. pkg. 1.89
RED ROSE TEA BAGS 120 bags 2.99
GOLD SEAL RED SOCKEYE SALMON 7¾-oz. tin 1.49
CARNATION COFFEE MATE 16-oz. jar 1.29
SWANSON MEAT PIES 8-oz. pkg. 49¢
MINUTE MAID FROZEN ORANGE JUICE 12-oz. tin 89¢
OCEAN SPRAY CRANBERRY SAUCE 14-oz. tin 55¢
McCAIN FROZEN PEAS and CARROTS 2-lb. bag 69¢
SUCCESS PEACHES 28-oz. tin 59¢
TERRY'S HAZELNUT CHOCOLATE 14-oz. box 2.99
SUNLIGHT DISH LIQUID 32-oz. btl. 99¢
ROYALE TOILET TISSUE 4-roll pkg. 1.09
CHINESE MANDARIN ORANGES box 4.19
CANADA NO. 1 MEDIUM SWEET POTATOES lb. 19¢
CANADA NO. 1 FRESH BRUSSELS SPROUTS lb. 39¢

'Hear the PM—$150'

TORONTO (CP)—A man who provides government advertising to several publications sent letters to about 80 Ontario ethnic newspapers and magazines earlier this month urging them to send representatives to a $150-a-plate Liberal fund-raising dinner.

Stanley Martyn, president of New Canadian Publications, informed the newspapers and magazines of the dinner which took place Monday. Prime Minister Trudeau was the guest speaker.

In a letter dated Dec. 8, Martyn said Trudeau's speech would be of particular interest to ethnic groups. He urged the newspapers and magazines to send at least one representative to the dinner.

Martyn said he would prepay the $150 and deduct it in three instalments from monthly payments his company made to the media.

Ethnic press pushed

New Canadian Publications acts as a public relations consultant and middleman between the publications and advertisers. It deducts 30 to 35 per cent of the advertising cost as a handling fee. Several publishers said in interviews that most of the advertising came from the federal and provincial governments.

Martyn said in an interview that he had sent the letter but that its content and how many people responded were matters between him and the papers.

Liberal party organizer Jack Price said he knew Martyn was selling tickets, but that he did not realize Martyn had sent the letter.

Martyn's letter was accompanied by a letter from Maurice Strong, chairman of the dinner. Strong said he had signed thousands of form letters. He said he did not know Martyn.

Antonio Ribeiro, publisher of *Portuguese Canadian National Newspaper*, said he received a letter but did not go to the dinner because he felt Martyn was trying to put pressure on him to attend.

Driver coverage to be reviewed

Canadian Press

The B.C. government is prepared to consider increasing the provincial minimum for liability insurance coverage each motorist is required to have, according to Premier Bennett.

The review was recommended by Mr. Justice John Bouck, who said it might be appropriate to reconsider whether the minimum coverage of $75,000 was realistic in view of the increased value of awards made by the courts in accident cases.

Bouck made the comment Tuesday in a B.C. Supreme Court judgment awarding $106,000 to mill worker Stanley Land, who lost a leg in a car accident.

Bouck said that Land was guaranteed to receive only $75,000 because the amount of a defendant's coverage never came out in court.

Bennett said Wednesday that he was not aware of the case, but would take a look at the recommendation.

Island firms handed loans

Ten Vancouver Island businesses will benefit from the latest series of interest-free, forgivable loans approved by federal and provincial governments.

On the list are Falcon Industries of Campbell River, with a loan of $20,500 for a new cedar shake and shingle industry; Rest-Assured Bedding Manufacturing Co. of Ladysmith, $28,750 for new manufacturers with five jobs created; Affirmed Enterprises, of Nanaimo, $16,000 for new business in commercial printing with four new jobs; Beaver Creek Cedar Products, of Port Alberni, $7,150 to expand cedar shake and shingle operation and create three new jobs; Jackson Welding, of Port Alberni, $8,070 to expand welding and fabrication shop and create one new job; MGM Supplies of Port Alberni, $30,000 for design and processing of stainless steel with four new positions; Clearwood Industries, of Powell River, $30,000 for new sawmill employing six; Baywater Industries, of Qualicum Bay, $18,000 for new food processing plant with four to five part-time positions.

Also on the list is Hidden Valley Sawmills of Shawnigan Lake, $18,000 for expansion of existing mill to create five new jobs, and Woodwind Farm Industries of Hornby Island, $15,056 for the manufacture of furniture and custom woodwork, with three new jobs created.

In all 23 grants were approved for a total of $398,194, bringing the total grants so far to 136, representing $2,433,730 in assistance to small businesses.

Federal Minister of Regional Development Marcel Lessard and B.C. Economic Development Minister Don Phillips announced the new grants.

Sears

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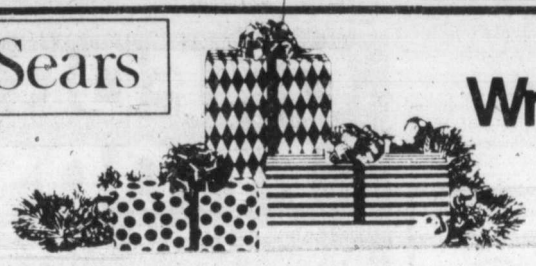


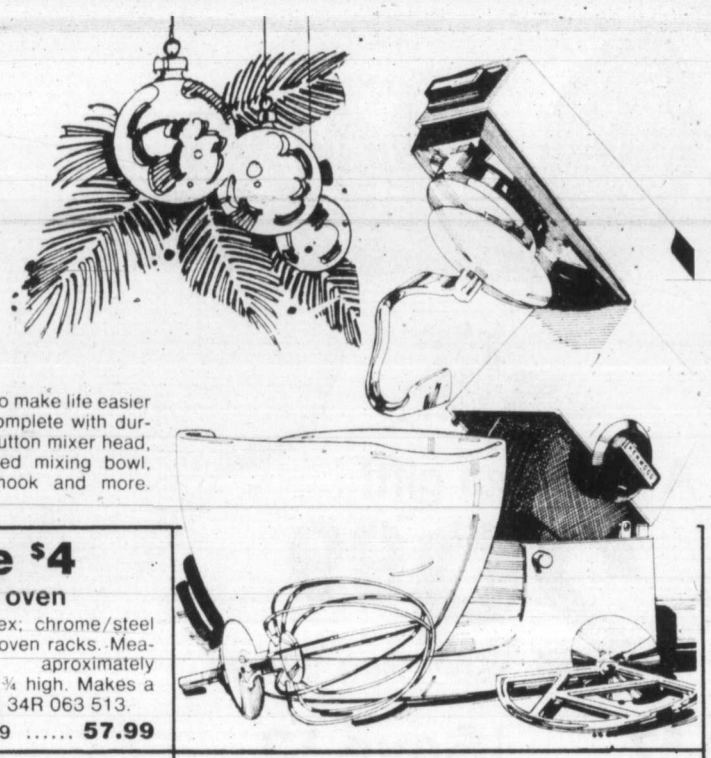
Save $40

Versatile 'Kenwood Chef' a real work saver

199.99

Reg. $239.99

It's loaded with features to make life easier in the kitchen. Comes complete with durable power base, push-button mixer head, splash-proof double-lipped mixing bowl, beater, whisk, dough hook and more. 34R 072 702.



Save $2 — Handy can opener. Your choice of colours in White or Gold. Complete with knife sharpener and bottle opener. A very handy gift! 34R 071 908. Reg. $17.99 ..... 15.99

Save $5 — Stand mixer. Sears stand mixer with two glass bowls. 9 handy speeds to choose from. White in colour. So quick and easy for baking! 34R 069 065. Reg. $49.99 ..... 44.99

Save $4 — Toaster oven. Proctor Silex; chrome/steel exterior. 2 oven racks. Measures aproximately 16⅛x9¾x7¾ high. Makes a perfect gift! 34R 063 513. Reg. $61.99 ..... 57.99

Save $2 — 2-slice toaster. Chrome and Gold coloured toaster with handy setting for warming pastry. Makes a very versatile gift for someone on your list! 34R 063 531. Reg. $21.99 ..... 19.99

Value! — 10-c. coffee maker. A gift for coffee lovers, has 50-fl.-oz. glass carafe. Permanent filter system, uses paper filters. 34R 067 519. ..... 39.99

Save $8 — Liquidizer. 'Kenmore Chef' attachments: blends, chops, grinds. Very handy for baking! 34R 072 788. Reg. $42.99 ..... 34.99

Save $8 — Mixer. Attaches to 'Kenmore Chef': Minces meat and fish as fast as you can feed it through. 34R 072 720. Reg. $36.99 ..... 28.99

Save $15 — Slicer/shredder. Attaches to 'Kenwood Chef'. Saves time in the kitchen. Easy to use. Perfect for every-day use! 34R 072 729. Reg. $74.99 .. 59.99

Sears Small Appliances (34) 24-Hour Teleshop: 595-3161

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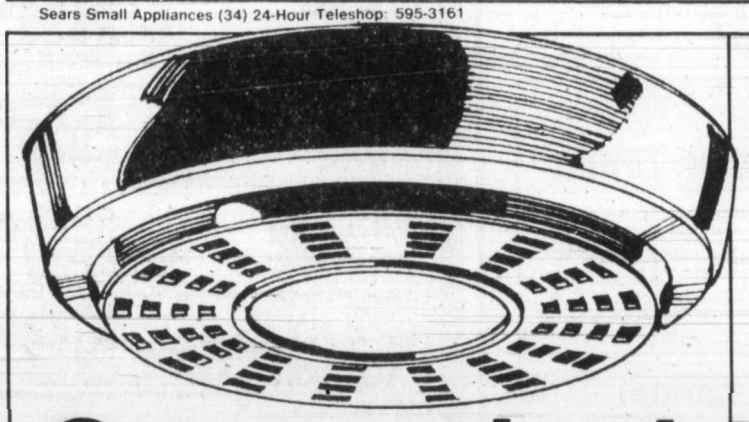


Sears value!

Smoke detector for family safety

9h. Take advantage of this excellent value on Sears highly sensitive ionization smoke detector and protect your family during the holidays and always. It detects the slightest presence of smoke and by-products of combustion. Upon detection, it sounds immediately, loudly and continuously.

16.98 each

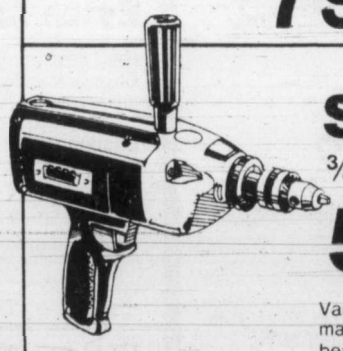
Sears: Hardware (9) 24 Hour Teleshop

Save $30 Craftsman 3" belt sander

9k. Complete with fan-driven sawdust pickup. 100% ball bearing motor develops max. 1 hp. 3 x 21" sanding belt travels 1300 fpm. 09R 024 367.

79.99 Reg. $109.99

Craftsman safety — These Craftsman power tools are double insulated for safety/convenience



Save $40 — ⅜" Craftsman drill

59.99 Reg. $99.99

Variable-speed, reversible ⅜" drill develops maximum ⅜ h.p. 0-1100 r.p.m. 100% ball bearings. 09R 022 076. Makes a perfect gift for the handyman!

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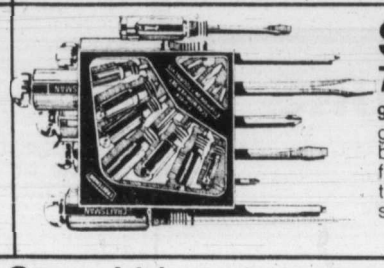

Save $4 — 7-pc. screwdriver set. 9p. Backed by the Craftsman guarantee . . . if any hand tool breaks while in use, return it for free replacement. Set incl. 3 slotted, 2 Phillips, 2 Robertson screwdrivers. 09R 032 289. Reg. $12.99 8.99

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1 BIRTHS

BRYSON — Andrea and Danny are happy to announce the arrival of their baby brother, Jeffrey Edward. Born on December 9, 1978 and weighing 7 lbs., 5 ozs. Proud parents are Larry and Gloria. Thanks to the case room staff at Royal Jubilee.

EARLE-Tony and Diane (nee Fisher) are pleased to announce the arrival of their son, Hayden Anthony, 8lbs. 8oz., on Dec. 20th, 1978. Many thanks to Dr. Forgie, Dr. Rippington and Maternity Staff of Victoria General Hospital.

LANG- Born to Bill and Pat (nee Fussey) a boy, Robert Arthur, 6 lbs. 12 ozs. on Dec. 14, 1978. Mum's birthday. Thanks to Dr. Kelly Chu and Dr. Blanco and a great maternity staff at Victoria General Hospital. (Insured).

OLESON — Born to John and Martha, on December 10, 1978, a daughter, Patience Martha, 7 lbs., 11½ ozs., a sister for Olaf John.

PIKE— Darleen and David, Jeffery, Sylvia and Jeremy are very proud to announce the arrival on December 15, 1978 in Halifax, N.S. of Cameron James Beaton, weight 4lbs. 5ozs.

SHADE — Born to Paul and Diane on December 17, 1978, at Victoria General Hospital a boy, Keith William Richard, 9 lbs. 1 oz. A baby brother for Shannon. Thanks to Dr. Adey and Maternity Staff and Daddys coaching.

TAYLOR — Born to Hugh and Deborah (nee Olson) on December 12, 1978, a boy, Kameron Joel Watson, 8 lbs., 3 ozs. Thanks to Drs. P. J. Mitchell, J. Colhill and F. Bianco and the great Maternity Staff of Victoria General Hospital.

TWADDLE — Born to Peter and Rhonda, a girl, Tara Lynn, 5 lbs., 5 ozs., on December 10, 1978. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Perry of Victoria, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Twaddle of Montreal. Many thanks to Dr. J. W. Cooper and wonderful Maternity Staff at Victoria General Hospital.

WATSON — Born to Allan and Rhonda, a son, Daniel James, 9 lbs. 5½ ozs. on November 30, 1978. Thank you Dr. Curran, Dr. Bianco and Staff at Victoria General Hospital.

14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Winning ticket numbers for Religious Pictures are as follows:

545276	545008
733042	733097
545062	505489
545523	545389
505501	545444
545141	505895
733600	505262

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1002 Pandora Street, Victoria
Tel. 382-3815
Principal of high school Mr. Don Green

SWIMWEAR, DANCEWEAR, eveningwear for "whatever you want" wear and "however you care" wear to go some wear, or no wear. It's "now wear"! And it's here, wear we are. Giselle's Theatre Danceshop, 2nd floor, Market Square. 388-6534.

THE WINNER OF THE VICtoria Bluebird marorete Spirited Doll from Texas won by Floyd Cordick, 651 Burnside, Victoria, B.C., Ticket No 726.

INSTEAD OF CHRISTMAS cards I have given to the Heart and Cancer Funds. Mrs. M. Bell, 2934 Old Corn Place.

15 COMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES #12
Winning tickets for Christmas raffle:
7029, 9208, 3259, 9720, 6817, 5800, 81,10212, 9822, 12303, 9109, 10182, 701, 3868, 9731, 3911, 9159, 4304, 655, 7260, 11557.
Please pickup your prize at the office, between 8:30-12noon before Friday Dec. 22.

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ESQUIMALT LEGION CORNER ESQUIMALT AND ADMIRALS RD.
EVERY THURSDAY
Early Bird 7 p.m.
Free Bus to Town

EVERYONE IS WELCOME AT this year's "OPERATION HEARTWARM", Victoria's unique drop-in party on Christmas Day, 2:00 to 7:30 p.m. at the Old Forge. No charges, come if you're lonely. Bring your friends, family, if your own Christmas is happier. If you can, bring a spare plateful of party snack goodies to help keep the HEARTWARM food flowing. Organized as a community service by Victoria Members of Parents Without Partners.

$1000 TIGER BINGO B-4
Bonus Winner - Aqua Card #
4296 - Turkey
4232 - Salmon
4217 - Gift Certificate

VICTORIA FISH & GAME Annual Boxing Day Shoot. Cornish game hens, hams, bacon, Christmas cheer. Starting time 10am until dusk. Holker Place, Malahat.

ATHLETIC BINGO WEDNESDAY NOW AT Garth Homer Centre 813 Darwin

VICTORIA SINGLES HAPPENing Christmas Dance, Dec 29th. Leonardo DaVinci Center, 9-1, advanced tickets only. Hillside Mall. 384-5789, 595-1160, 388-9465.

BOY SCOUT CHRISTMAS TREE SALE
3200 block, Glasgow St.
All trees $5 and under
Tues.-Fri.
6-9 pm.

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20 LOST and FOUND

MISSING DECEMBER 7TH, black male cat. Feet, tummy, nose, around mouth and throat is white, red collar and ID tag (Sheba) with address and phone number. 385-8187, 388-6347 if whereabouts known.

LOST 6 MONTHS OLD GREY haired part persian cat with black markings, near Jubilee Hospital, female, has flea collar. 598-3893.

STRAYED FROM 531 MARY ST. Vic West. Large short haired black cat. Neutered male answers to McCoy. Please phone 385-9728 days, 385-6371 evenings.

REWARD FOR SMALL BLACK Cockapoo pup, 8 months old. Belongs to Little 11 year old girl. 642-5473.

FOUND IN SIDNEY ON SAT. medium sized young dog, with silky hair, beige colour. Happy disposition. 656-6882.

MISSING FROM ESQUIMALT, 1969 Gold Pontiac Safari station wagon, licence MXV 132. Reward for information. 598-5258.

LOST WHILE SHOPPING downtown or in Hillside Mall Teardrop jade pendant, no chain. 477-3316.

LOST: YOUNG GREY FLUFFY kitten in Esquimalt area. Reward. Please call 387-1551 or 383-7904.

LOST IN LANSDOWNE HIGH area, black cat, 1 year old, male, wearing flea collar answers to Lucky, call 595-0490.

LOST: VICTORIA GENERAL Hospital area within last 2 weeks, mans gold wedding band with stone. Call after 5, 595-2893.

LOST: FEMALE IRISH SETter and a male Great Dane around Sooke Rd. and Metchosin area. 474-2881.

FOUND: ON FORT ST. BLACK and tan Doberman Pinscher, 8 months old, please phone 656-1406 to claim dog and pay for ad.

LOST - 3 LEGGED ORANGE cat in East Sooke. Reward. 382-0853.

LOST: NEAR DUNCAN, LIVER and white Springer Spaniel. Reward, phone 748-4801 Collect.

LOST DECEMBER 8TH, GOLD bracelet, sentimental value. Reward. 383-9660.

BLACK AND WHITE SAMOYED Cross, lame front left paw. Reward. 386-9438.

LOST: BLACK ADIDAS BAG containing karate equipment. 479-6633.

LOST 1 LARGE GREY MALE tabby, wearing red collar, lost in Langford Goldstream area. 478-8196.

LOST: ESQUIMALT REC CENter, Saturday night, mans black wallet. Reward. 721-5395.

LOST: LADY'S WITTNAUR watch, vicinity Eatons ladies powder room, 3:30pm, Tuesday Dec 19 592-1907.

LOST TAN FEMALE BOXER, 2 black scars on back, vicinity Colony Motor Inn, reward. 388-6788.

FOUND ESQUIMALT YOUNG female collie dog. 384-1219.

LOST: LADY'S SILVER BULOva, vicinty Eatons. 592-0542.

LOST, SMALL BLACK LAB, ANswers to the name "Thor". Sidney area. 656-3194.

FOUND: TABBY MALE KITten, Tanner Rd area. 652-1471.

LOST: LADY'S WATCH, SALVAtion Army Thrift Shop. Sentimental value. 388-6936.

LOST MALE BLACK POODLE Terrior Cross, curly tail. 478-8174

LOST IN OAK BAY, 3 KEYS ON keyring. Phone 598-2207.

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

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DAILY COLONIST routes are coming available in the following area.
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Required immediately for general duties in 38 bed, acute care hospital which provides community lab services. Must be CSLT registered. Wage according to HSA contract. Apply in writing, giving qualifications and references to:
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Hope, B.C., V0X 1L0

RESIDENT ASSISTANT MANAGERS
Hardworking, ambitious couple as assistant managers for large modern Apt. building with swimming pool. Duties mainly cleaning and replacing managers, 2 days per week, $800 per month to start. Please state experience and give references. Apply to Victoria Press Box 719.

THERE ARE OPENINGS FOR people to deliver large apartment and residential routes in the Burnside-Tillicum, Shelbourne-Bay, Quadra-McKenzie and Mt. Tolmie area. Profits range from $80 to $170 per month depending on route size and time involved is approximately 1-1½ hours per morning, six mornings per week. An ideal way to supplement your income! Suitable for boys, girls, students or adults. Contact: D. Hodgins or C. Sampson, 383-4111.

WANTED: GRADUATE NURSE for 4 evenings per week. Phone for appointment, 383-7814.

BABYSITTER NEEDED, early Jan, part time, for details call 721-3474.

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STUDENTS ADULTS!
There is an opening in the Quadra-McKenzie area for a Colonist Sub-Manager. Duties include Supervision of carriers as well as ensuring distribution of newspapers in a particular area. Previous experience as a carrier an asset. Renumeration is $150 plus per month. Contact, D. Hodgins 383-4111.

Help
Opportunity to Work with our sales staff for the Christmas Holidays. Call 385-4461

INDIVIDUALS OR COUPLES are invited to submit proposals for the operation of a society-sponsored group care resource for adolescents. This is a 7-bed resource located in Nanaimo. Fee for service to be negotiated. Proposals should be submitted to Ministry of Human Resources, 3-6404 Metral Drive, Nanaimo, V9T 2L8.

BUILDING MGR.
Required for 2 year old apartment block near town. Caretaking and janitorial duties for responsible couple, salary $600. Call Bill Middleton at Seaspray Properties Ltd. 386-3124 daily 10-12 only.

MARKETING MANAGEMENT, large established financial institution requires two candidates to train with their organization. Starting income $10,000-$15,000 per year. Send resume to #680-1070 Douglas St. Victoria, V8W 2C4 or call 385-2751 for appointment.

FAIRFIELD HOMEMAKER Service is inviting applications from mature persons interested in working as homemakers in our community. Should be able to work flexible hours. Part time to start. Please apply at 1277 Fairfield Road, December 27 and 28 between 10 and 12.

LIVE-IN HOUSEKEEPER COMpanion required for mentally alert handicapped lady in modern home on good transportation route, good wages plus board and room. References required. 478-4720.

SERVICE STATION ATTENdant, must be fully experienced in handling cash, and able to work with minimun supervision. Only reliable, honest and clean cut need apply. Victoria Press Box 694.

BAKERS HELPER, EXPERIence preferred, 10 pm - 6 am. Capable of working without supervision after training, group insurance with dental plan. Apply in person 1119 North Park.

BABYSITTER FOR OUR 8 month baby girl, approximately 4-5 hours per day. Prefer our house. Beacon Hill area. 382-1149 evenings.

SINGLE FATHER WITH TWO children, 3 and 5, desperately need sitter. 3 days, 2 evenings. Vic West area. Your home or mine. Call 385-6822.

WANTED EXPERIENCED person to repair and replace canvas on tent trailers. Phone 479-2209.

EXPERIENCED WAITer/waitress required, hotel coffee shop. Please call 385-6731 between 10 am. and 2 pm.

FULL TIME AND PART TIME help wanted. Good opportunities for students. Please apply in person. McDonalds, 980 Pandora.

WANTED COMPANION housekeeper for older lame lady. Non-smoker, valid drivers license. Deep Cove area, 656-2887.

COUPLE TO MANAGE SMALL hotel in Tofino. Salary and house provided. Reply Victoria Press Box 737.

WOULD LIKE RESPONSIBLE babysitter for 2 children 2:30 to 7:30, my home. 595-3958. Haultain-Shakespear area.

PAUL'S RESTAURANTS, parttime weekend driver required, apply 1900 Douglas St between 2-3pm. only.

PAUL'S RESTAURANTS, WAITer-waitress, for weekend help required, apply 1900 Douglas St between 2-3pm. only.

WANTED PART TIME HOUSEkeeper, good with children. Good wages to right Person. Call 382-5986 evenings before 10.

EXPERIENCED RELIABLE supermarket cashier, full or part time, $4.25 per hour. 598-6211.

MANAGER FOR VOCATIONAL rehabilitation center. Experienced in administration, budget control required. Experience in Psychiatric field an asset. Good communication skills essential. Ability to work with participants, staff, business and community groups. Tact, initiative and resourcefulness essential. Resume including relevant academic prepacation, experience and references to Victoria Press Box 682 Closing date Dec. 26.

22 OFFICE HELP

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RECEPTIONIST/TYPIST
Juan De Fuca Hospitals — Glendairy requires an experienced receptionist/typist.

Applicants must have a minimum of 50 w.p.m. and one years switchboard experience. Two positions are available on a rotating basis, hours of work are 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Interested applicants are invited to submit applications as soon as possible to:
Administrative Services Coordinator
Glendairy Hospital
1780 Fairfield Road
Victoria, B.C.
V8S 1G7

DICTA-TYPIST
We require an experienced dictatypist to work in our Victoria office. The job involves the use of a Xerox 800 typewriter. Previous experience on this equipment would be preferable but not mandatory. Receptionist duties also required. This is a permanent position with Victoria's largest general insurance brokerage office. Apply in writing to Mr. R. K. Duncanson, c/o Harbord Insurance, 1220 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.

RECENT GRADUATE C.A. OR final year student required by Victoria C.A. firm. The position will be of interest to candidates interested in serving the needs of a variety of small and medium size clients. Please forward resume to Roberts Denson & Company, P.O. Box 962, Victoria, V8W 2R9.

PERSON FRIDAY
Victoria based company is seeking an individual with a minimum of 5-years bookkeeping, to trial balance and general office experience. Attractive appearance and ability to deal with the public essential. Excellent company benefits. Prime Personnel, 385-7012.

WANTED: EXPERIENCED Dental Hygenist, starting Jan. part time. Phone 598-2113 or 658-5118.

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SENIOR LEGAL SECRETARY for Corporate work, wills and general. Some convevancing an asset. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience in a law office together with ability to accept responsibility and work on own initiative. Typing 65 w.p.m. Salary negotiable, 386-6754.

SECRETARY REQUIRED FOR busy Insurance Agency. Must have 1-2 years experience in commercial. Auto plan knowledge an asset. Accurate typing of 60 w.p.m. essential. Hours 8-4:30. Salary $1,000. 386-9021.

MATURE RECEPTIONIST FOR busy doctor's office in Sidney. Apply own handwriting stating age, address, phone number and qualifications Victoria Press Box 732.

RECEPTIONIST FOR DENTAL practice required for mid January, some chairside duties, experienced preferred, apply in own handwriting to Victoria Press Box 734.

CLERK TYPIST RECEPTIONist for busy downtown insurance office. Typing 65 wpm, life insurance experience an asset. 385-1484.

PARTTIME BOOKKEEPER typist flexible hours, experienced/references required. 477-2817.

DOCTORS RECEPTIONIST part time. Write 325-1207 Douglas Street.

23 SKILLED TRADES

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STEEL FOREMAN
required by Vancouver-based shipyard. Applicants must be completely familiar with steel ship construction. Must be able to communicate with tradesmen and have administrative ability. Apply to Victoria Press, Box 728, stating qualifications and salary expected.

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN
Royal Jubilee Hospital requires a Technician with recognized Pharmacy Assistant or Technicians Course or Degree in Pharmacy from another country.
Day Shift, Monday to Friday with some weekend work. Start Salary: $1124.00 (1979).

Please forward applications/resumes to:
Miss D. Kommes,
Director of Pharmacy,
Royal Jubilee Hospital,
1900 Fort Street,
Victoria, B.C.
V8R 1J8

MARINE DRAFTSMAN
required by Vancouver-based shipyard. Must be capable of shop drawing and general drafting. Please reply to Victoria Press, Box 728, outlining experience and salary expected.

NURSE PRACTITIONER REquired February 1st for well equipped, one doctor, government sponsored, community health clinic at Madeira Park, B.C. Hours 9-5 Monday to Friday with sharing of weekday evenings, standby duties. Salary $16,332. 4 weeks annual holidays. Car allowance. Apply to Secretary, Pender Harbour and District Health Centre Society, P.O. Box 308, Madeira Park, B.C., V0N 2H0. Telephone 883-2764.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY By B.C. Cement Company Ltd. located in Mill Bay, B.C. 10 qualified Millwrights (maintanance mechanics). These are temporary jobs with a duration of approximately 30 days. Commencing January 8, 1979. Union wages, $9.79 per hour. Applicants phone Robert Sawka at 383-9622 from Victoria and from Cobble Hill Duncan area 743-5511.

FOREMAN WANTED
For a 12 machine shingle and shake mill in the Fraser Valley. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience in the management field. Apply Victoria Press, Box 738.

EXPERIENCED FILER WANTED
For a modern mill in Ruskin. Must have experience with shingle saws and shake saws. Write Victoria Press, Box 738.

24 SALES PERSONS AND AGENTS

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LOCAL MEN'S RETAIL CLOTHier requires experienced sales person for downtown location. Applicants should have made-to-measure experience. Position has management possibilities. Salary commensurate with experience. Reply in own handwriting stating age, experience, references c/o Victoria Press Box 731.

SALESPERSON FOR GROWING wholesale food company, required aggressive, self-motivated, sales-orientated person, experience preferred. Salary, commission, car expense, Group insurance and dental plan. Apply in person 1119 North Park St.

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25 TEACHERS

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SCHOOL DISTRICT #32 (HOPE)
Applications are invited for a temporary teaching vacancy at the Boston Bar School. Applicants should be able to teach mainly English with some French at the Junior Secondary Level and be available for the period early January 1979 to June 30th, 1979.

Written applications should be sent by December 31, 1978 to the Principal, Boston Bar School, Box 160, Boston Bar, B.C. V0K 1C0.

COMMERCE TEACHER
Applications are invited for a commerce teacher able to assume some counciling duties at the Babine Elem./Sec. School in Granisle commencing Jan. 1st, 1979. The School has approximately 400 students from K to Gr. 12 and a staff of 26. Please send applications together with supporting documents to:
District Superintendent of Schools
Box 2000,
Burns Lake, B.C. V0J 1E0

SPEECH THERAPIST REQUIRED
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CEDAR HILL PRE SCHOOL REquires a teacher licenced by Community Care, effective Jan 1979. Three mornings per week, 3 and 4 year olds. Reply with qualifications to 2880 Richmond Rd. V8R4T7.

STAFF REQUIRED JAN. 1979 at Bella Bella Community School
1. Industrial education-drafting, woodwork, electrical. Gr. 8-11.
2. Commercial-typing, bookkeeping, record keeping.
Applicants able to teach Math or Socials part-time preferred. Apply to Box 879, Whitehsta B.C., V0T1Z0. Phone 957-2391.

26 PART-TIME or TEMPORARY HELP

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28 EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

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FOR YOUR EMPLOYMENT NEEDS
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DRAKE INTERNATIONAL COMPANY
Call 385-3425

30 SITUATIONS WANTED

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MALE, 28, REALLY NEEDS permanent full time job with future preferrably, but not necessarily in a trade. 383-0397.

REFINED, INTELLIGENT, Mature Practical Nurse, available stay over Christmas, New Years. Days, nights. 592-6109.

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For odd jobs, 387-5506, 1-5pm weekdays.

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WILL BABYSIT, MY HOME, weekdays, 7am-6pm. Millstream Road area. 478-9348.

MATURE BOOKKEEPER, FEmale, requires full time employment, excellent references. 386-0755.

30 YEARS, HOUSE REPAIRS, carpentry, gyprock, joint filling. Painting. 595-5498.

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GORDON HEAD

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Deaths and funerals

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BRITT — Stanley A., peacefully at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 19th, 1978. Born in Medicine Hat, Alberta, Dec. 8, 1916. Survived by his loving wife, Edith and children, Marilyn and Don Walmsley, of Boston Bar; Diane and Laurie Cook, of Victoria; Ian and Celia Britt of Vancouver and 8 grandchildren. Stan was past Lieutenant-Governor and Honourary member of Victoria Kiwanis Club, Division 17. He was also the current International Vice-President of Sales and Marketing Executives International as well as an active member of the Masonic Order of AF & AM, Signet Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Western Gate Preceptory and Gizah Temple Shrine.

Funeral service in Metropolitan United Church, Quadra and Pandora, on Friday, Dec. 22 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating, assisted by the Very Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean, followed by cremation. (No flower by request. Donations, if desired, may be made to the charity of one's choice.) McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

COLEMAN — In Victoria, B.C. on December 17, 1978, Baby Sandra Louise Coleman, aged two months, 15 days, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Coleman, of 3239 Glasgow Ave. Besides her loving parents, she leaves her brother, Sean, at home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chalkley and Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Coleman and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Phillips and Mr. A.J. Coleman, all of Victoria, B.C.; aunts, uncles and cousins. Predeceased by her twin sister, Baby Suzanne Carol Coleman on December 3, 1978.

Service in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Family Chapel of Memories" on Thursday, December 21, 1978, Rev. John A. Watson officiating. Cremation.
SANDS — VICTORIA

JEEVES, Frank Leslie, born March 12, 1908, died Dec. 19, 1978 in Burnaby General Hospital. A member of a Pioneer Victoria family. Retired as R.C.M.P. Inspector in Burnaby, B.C. Inspector Jeeves spent entire career of 35 years in postings in B.C. Early education took place at North Ward School and Victoria High. He is survived by his loving wife Doris in Burnaby, four sons and their families, Ron in Nanaimo, Bryon and Gary in Victoria and Bob in Vancouver, 9 grandchildren.

Funeral to be held at Mount Pleasant Chapel, 306 E. 11th St., Vancouver, B.C. on Thurs. Dec. 21, 1978, at 2 p.m.

JOHNS — Peacefully on December 18, 1978 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Dr. Thomas Henry (Harry) Johns. He was born in Victoria in 1903, the son of Victoria pioneer, Albion Johns. He graduated from McGill Dental School in 1925, practising in Victoria for nearly 50 years. He was past president of the Victoria and District Dental Society and the International College of Dentists and was a member of the College of Dental Surgeons and the Xi Psi Phi Fraternity and was active, for many years, in Church and musical organizations in the city. Predeceased by his beloved wife, Thelma, on November 27, 1978, he is survived by a son, Larry, of Victoria; a daughter, Linda, of Vancouver, and their families; a brother, A. Wilfrid Johns of Victoria; nieces and nephews.

Memorial service in Metropolitan United Church, Quadra and Pandora, on Thursday, Dec. 21 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating. Cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the charity of one's choice). McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

LAW — Suddenly on December 18, 1978, Mei Yin Law of 3124 Paisley Road, North Vancouver. Survived by her family, parents Mr. and Mrs. Chi Mon Law, Hong Kong, eight brothers and sisters in Hong Kong and one brother Chan Kwan Law, Victoria.

Memorial Mass will be Celebrated Saturday December 23, at 2:00 p.m. in St. John's Anglican Church, Quadra and Mason. Rev. W. C. Tan Celebrant. Cremation. Arrangements through First Memorial Services Ltd.

LEITH — On December 17, 1978, after a lengthy illness, Mrs. Mary Leith, aged 93, a long-time resident of Victoria. Predeceased by her husband, William (Bill) Leith in 1946. She is survived by her loving son George and daughter-in-law, Margaret; daughter, Dr. Mary Patricia Leith, and sister, Margaret Rennie, all of Victoria. Also by her grandson William (Bill) Leith of Toronto and granddaughter, Mrs. Doreen Jolliff of Vancouver; nieces and nephews in Eastern Canada, United States and Scotland.

Funeral service was held in the FAMILY CHAPEL of McCall Bros. on Wed., Dec. 20 at 3:15 p.m., with the Rev. P. Ross officiating, followed by cremation.

McKEACHIE — In Victoria, in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on December 18, 1978, Jeanie G. McKeachie in her 94th year, born in Ayrshire, Scotland and resident in Victoria since 1912. Widow of Alex McKeachie who predeceased her, November 9, 1962 and also predeceased by her son, Ian Young McKeachie in 1965 and a grandson, Gregory James McKeachie, Oct. 1972. She leaves 3 sons and daughters-in-law, Alexander G. and Edith of Nanaimo, Thomas S. and Joyce of Victoria and James G. and Joyce of West Vancouver; daughter and son-in-law, Mary and William E. Walker of Victoria; daughter-in-law Peggy McKeachie (Mrs. Ian McKeachie); 17 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; sister, Mrs. Edith Curr of Cumbria, England; sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Young of Thetford, Norfolk, England; nieces and nephews in England and Scotland. She was an ardent church worker with the W. A. of First United Church for many years and was active in Lawn Bowling circles.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Thursday, Dec. 21 at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. H. Hunter officiating, followed by cremation. (In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.)

MORGAN — In Victoria on December 19, 1978, Dr. Henry Vernon Morgan, aged 76 years, of 3981 Smuggler's Cove Rd., Victoria, born in Kenora, Ontario and resident here for 12 years, formerly of Calgary where he was the President of Calgary Associates Clinic for many years. He is survived by his loving wife, Mary Anna Muriel; two daughters, Mrs. Margaret A. Johnson of Winnipeg and Mrs. Mary Stevenson of Sangudo, Alberta; six grandchildren; one brother and one sister.

The service will be held in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Wednesday, December 27 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. H. Hunter officiating, followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Cancer Fund, 857 Caledonia Ave.).

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MUSSICK — On December 19, 1978, at the Victoria General Hospital, Muriel Edna Mussick, in her 71st year, of 305-1040 Rockland Avenue, born in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, and a resident of Victoria since 1921. She is survived by her loving husband Frank, at the residence; one daughter, Mrs. E. C. (Maxine) Owens of Victoria; three grandchildren, Ross, Barry and Diane; one great-grandchild, Shauna; two sisters, Mrs. P. G. (Lillian) McCarthy and Mrs. Phyllis Shepherd of Victoria; numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Thursday, December 21, at 10:30 a.m., followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined.)

PAYNE — Suddenly in hospital on December 16, 1978, Mr. Ernest John Payne, age 76 years. Born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, a resident of Langford, B.C. for the past 30 years, residing at 3126 Lynnlark Place. He leaves his loving wife, Agnes, at the residence; brother, Wilbert Payne, Nanaimo, B.C.; sister, Mrs. Mabel Richards, Sooke, B.C.; nieces and nephews.

Service in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Weather, Colwood, B.C., on Friday, December 22, 1978, at 1:00 p.m. Interment in Hatley Memorial Gardens. Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring may contribute to the B.C. Heart Foundation, 1008 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C.
SANDS — COLWOOD

PEEKE-VOUT — On December 18, 1978, Kitty Esther Peeke-Vout of Brentwood. Survived by one son Barry, Victoria, one daughter Lynda, Saanichton, two grandsons; one brother, Jack Henton, Birnie, Manitoba; two sisters, Lucy Ennis, Neepawa, Manitoba and Nellie Thom, Swift Current Saskatchewan.

Private family Cremation was held. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Canadian Diabetic Association would be appreciated. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C. and First Memorial Services Ltd.

PREDDY — In Victoria on December 20, 1978, Iris Gloria Preddy, born in England and resident here for seven years. Widow of Frank L. Preddy, she is survived by two sons, Steve of Burnaby and Andrew of Tsawwassen; five grandchildren; also her mother, Mrs. J. Kemp of Oak Bay.

Funeral service on Friday, December 22 at 1:30 p.m. in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., with the Ven. Arch. H.J. Jones officiating, followed by cremation (No flowers by request).

RAI — On December 20, 1978, at Gorge Road Hospital, Mrs. Harnam Kour Rai, aged 77 years, born in the province of Punjab, India. Predeceased by her husband Labh in 1965, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Harvant Sangha and Miss Hardal Rai of Victoria; six sons, Rhutan, Scotty, Harry, Davary and Tara, all of Port Alberni and Garry of Victoria; 21 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Friday, December 22 at 12:00 noon, followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.).

REYNOLDS — In Victoria at Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 19, 1978, Mr. Charles B. Reynolds aged 72 years, late of 1025 Linden Ave. Mr. Reynolds was born in England and came to Canada in 1924. A resident of Victoria for the last 10 years. Survived by his loving wife Martha; 2 daughters, Mrs. S. (Joan) Krestinsky of Kamloops, B.C. and Capt. and Mrs. E. P. (Ann) Riley of Winnipeg, Man.; 6 granddaughters; 2 great grandchildren and 2 sisters in England.

Private family funeral service will be held Friday, December 29, at 2 p.m. in CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL CHAPEL with Rev. F. W. Hayes officiating, followed by interment in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

THOMSON — Suddenly Dec. 14, 1978, Hugh Wallace Thomson, age 54. Born in Scotland, a resident of Victoria since 1926. He leaves to mourn a brother James of Victoria, sisters Mrs. Terence (Myra) Whitley, Victoria, Mrs. Andrew (Margaret) Johnstone, Saanichton, B.C. Also nieces and nephews. Hugh as a boy was a member of the Rainbow Sea Cadet Bugle Band, and the Fifth B.C. Trumpet Band (Militia). He served in the Second World War Overseas. He was employed at Arbutus Craft of Victoria til his death. Private Cremation by First Memorial Services.
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As we who are left grow old."

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308 CARDS OF THANKS

WE WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND our sincere thanks to Dr. Smith and the staff of the Open Heart Intensive Care at Royal Jubilee Hospital, and to our many friends and relatives and the letter carriers at Station C for your kind support and sympathy in the recent loss of our husband and father, George.
Vera, Bill and Malcolm Blann

WE WISH TO EXTEND OUR sincere thanks for and appreciation of, the cards, and kind messages of sympathy, sent to us at the loss of our husband and father, Mark Harry Hendley. Special thanks to R.C.L. Britannia Branch No. 7, also to Archdeacon Hendy for his kind words.
Jessie Hendley and family

MRS. GERTRUDE MINNIE and family wish to take this opportunity to thank all their relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness in the loss of a loving husband and father. Also thanks to Dr. Gows, Dr. Heffernan, Dr. Rain, and Dr. McKenzie. Thank you very much.

309 IN MEMORIAM

MULLIN IN LOVING MEMORY of my Dear Wife, Mary who passed away December 21, 1972.
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SIMMONS — To the memory of William (Bill) Simmons, December 29, 1915-December 15, 1970.
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That I can show any human being, let me do it now.
And not defer it, for I shall not pass this way again."
—Always in the hearts of his many friends.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CREIGHTON ARMSTRONG, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Creighton Armstrong, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1978 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.

ROBERT KEITH BRYDEN,
Executor
Matthews, Bryden & Dalton,
Barristers and Solicitors,
202-1207 Douglas Street,
P.O. Box 1026,
Victoria, B.C.
V8W 2S6

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to Mr. L. Treloar, Manager, Royal Oak Burial Park, 4673 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1B4, and marked "TENDERS FOR TABLETS" will be accepted up to and including 12 o'clock noon, January 15th, 1979 for the supply of marble and/or bronze urn tablets on a one-year contract commencing February 1st, 1979, terminating January 31st, 1980. Full particulars as to design and quality of material may be obtained from Mr. Treloar at address above. Applicants should be prepared to provide a sample tablet if requested.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. TRELOAR,
Secretary-Treasurer
Board of Cemetery Trustees
of Greater Victoria

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of NORAH ELIZABETH BAYFIELD, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Norah Elizabeth Bayfield, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1979 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.

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TENDERS FOR GAS AND OIL ROYAL OAK BURIAL PARK

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Tenders submitted for both products will be considered separately unless otherwise indicated.

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L. TRELOAR,
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FORM No. 1
LAND ACT
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND

In Land Recording District of Lot 19 of Lot 21 except Parcel A DD57811-W and situated Plan 14684 Long Harbour, Salt Spring Island.

Take notice that E. Joy Newton of Sidney, B.C. intends to apply for a Foreshore Lease of the following described lands: Unsurveyed portion of foreshore within Lot 247 Cowichan District, situated in Long Harbour

The purpose for which the disposition is required is Private Dock

Ellen Joy Newton

Dated Dec 7, 1978.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name, pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by me: Sung Gab Ha of 18-132 Menzies St. in Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows:—

My wife's name from Sung-Ho Ha to Anne Jun Ha.

My minor unmarried child's name from Suk-Jin Ha to John Suk-Jin Ha.

Dated this 18th day of December, A.D. 1978.

Sung Gab Ha

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the director of Vital Statistics for a change of name, pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by me: Elmer Wayne Ahola; of 2388 Alpine Crescent in Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows: To change my name from Elmer Wayne Ahola to Curt Varnel, my wife's name from Sharen Ahola to Sharole Varnel, my minor unmarried child's name from Ronald William Wayne Ahola to Curt Varnel.

Dated this 11th day of December, A.D. 1978.

Wayne Elmer Ahola

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File: CK 897 10

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Plans, specifications and tender forms will be available for viewing at Construction Associations at Vancouver, Victoria, Kamloops, and DCL Vancouver Branch Office.

Tender Documents may be obtained by Prime Contractors only from DCL Plans Section, Ottawa, at the address below on deposit of $100.00 payable to Defence Construction (1951) Limited. (For Tender Documents call (613) — 998-9549 or telex 053-4231)

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W. J. Mulock, Secretary
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ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL PLANT SERVICES CALL FOR TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS for the modification to the air conditioning system of the Radiology Department, Royal Jubilee Hospital, will be received by the undersigned up to 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, January 10, 1979.

Drawings, specifications and tender documents may be obtained at the office of The Director of Plant Services, Royal Jubilee Hospital, 1900 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., V8R 1J8. A returnable deposit of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) is required for each set.

Bidding documents may be viewed at the Amalgamated Construction Association of Victoria, 1075 Alston St., Victoria, B.C. Tenders must be made out on the form supplied, addressed and delivered to the undersigned not later than 3:00 P.M. January 10, 1979.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. HUGHES,
Director of
Plant Services
Royal Jubilee Hospital,
1900 Fort Street,
Victoria, B.C. V8R 1J8
Telephone: 595-9363

ADVANCE NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that at the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Vanalta Resources Ltd. to be held in the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta in the head offices of the Company, #1000, 610-8 Avenue S.W. at the hour of Eleven (11) o'clock A.M. Mountain Standard Time on Friday the Twenty-third (23rd) day of February 1979 an election of Directors of the Company will be held.

The Company hereby invites nominations for Directors. Each nomination is to be signed by members of the Company holding in the aggregate not less than Ten percent (10%) of those shares having the right to vote at the Annual General Meeting.

TAKE NOTICE that if any nomination is delivered to the registered office of the Company not less than Thirty-five (35) days before the date of the Annual General Meeting, accompanied by the information as to nominee required to be furnished in the Information Circular of the Company, the Company will include the name of the nominee in the Form of Proxy and the information as to the nominee in the Information Circular sent by the management of the Company pursuant to Sections 176 and 177 of the Companies Act for the Province of British Columbia.

The address of the registered office of Canadian Hidrogas Resources Ltd. is the following:

#1700, 777 Hornby Street,
Vancouver, British Columbia
V6Z 1T5

A person may be disqualified from becoming or acting as a Director of the Company by Section 137 of the Companies Act; and further the Articles of the Company provides that a Director is not qualified to hold office if:

a) He becomes bankrupt, or;
b) He is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.

DATED at the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta this 14th day of December 1978.

CANADIAN HIDROGAS RESOURCES LTD.
Per: Larry S. Heald, Secretary

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE of HARRIET SUSANNA OLIVER, formerly of 336 Simcoe Street, in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are hereby required to send them to the Executrix, c/o Pearlman & Lindholm, P.O. Box 1327, Victoria, B.C., V8W 2W6, on or before the 20th day of January, 1979, after which date the Executrix will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she then has notice.

ANNA F. WOOTTON,
Executrix
By her Solicitors
Messrs. Pearlman & Lindholm
Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE TO SHIPYARDS

British Columbia Ferry Corporation requests tenders for Construction of Passenger-Car Ferries Numbers 18 and 19

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Sealed Tenders are to be received for public opening 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 16, 1979, in the Office of The General Manager and Chief Executive Officer at the above address.

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL PLANT SERVICES CALL FOR TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS for the Supply and Installation of a new Package Chiller, Cooling Tower and Chilled Waterpump for the Royal Jubilee Hospital will be received by the undersigned up to 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, January 10, 1979.

Drawings, specification and tender documents may be obtained at the office of The Director of Plant Services, Royal Jubilee Hospital, 1900 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., V8R 1J8. A returnable deposit of twenty five dollars ($25.00) is required for each set.

Bidding documents may be viewed at the Amalgamated Construction Association of Victoria, 1075 Alston St., Victoria, B.C. Tenders must be made out on the form supplied, addressed and delivered to the undersigned not later than 3:00 P.M. January 10, 1979.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. Hughes,
Director of Plant
Services,
Royal Jubilee Hospital,
1900 Fort Street,
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Telephone: 595-9363

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

Re the estate of LILLIAN POWELL also known as LILIAN POWELL, Deceased, late of 202, 905 Burdett Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the deceased are hereby required to send them in to the undersigned executrix in care of her solicitors, Messrs. Cardinal, Edgar and Emberton, 760 Hillside Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia before January 20th, 1979 after which date the executrix will distribute the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has then notice.

DOROTHY CHARPENTIER,
Executrix
By her solicitors
Messrs. Cardinal,
Edgar & Emberton.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that at the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Canadian Hidrogas Resources Ltd. to be held in the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta in the head office of the Company, #1000, 610-8th Avenue S.W., at the hour of Ten (10) o'clock A.M. Mountain Standard Time on Friday the Twenty-third (23rd) day of February 1979 an election of Directors of this Company will be held.

The Company hereby invites nominations for Directors. Each nomination is to be signed by members of the Company holding in the aggregate not less than Ten percent (10%) of those shares having the right to vote at the Annual General Meeting.

TAKE NOTICE that if any nomination is delivered to the registered office of the Company not less than Thirty-five (35) days before the date of the Annual General Meeting, accompanied by the information as to nominee required to be furnished in the Information Circular of the Company, the Company will include the name of the nominee in the Form of Proxy and the information as to the nominee in the Information Circular sent by the management of the Company pursuant to Sections 176 and 177 of the Companies Act for the Province of British Columbia.

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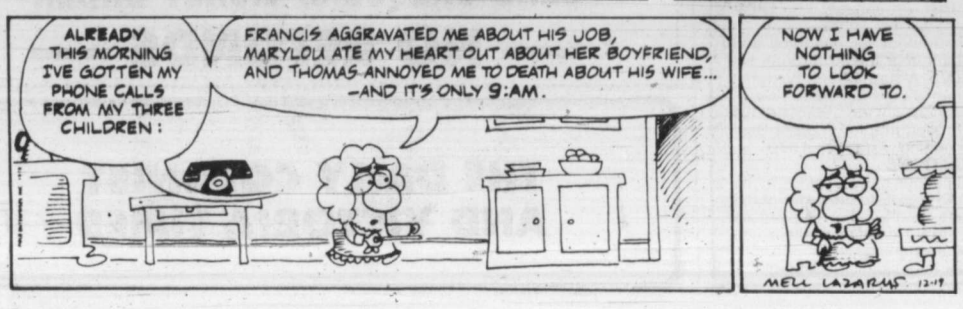

M. V. Chesnut's Garden Notes

Quite a few letters come to my desk every summer from readers complaining of hydrangeas that won't bloom. According to these correspondents, the shrubs are vigorous and in excellent health, making normal growth and pushing up leafy shoots ad nauseum, but with nary a sign of a blossom.

It is significant, I think, that nearly all these letters come from inland points. The hydrangea is an unpredictable critter, blooming its head off in one location — usually close to the sea — while in another site, perhaps less than two miles away, it will go on a sit-down strike and refuse to dole out as much as a single flower.

This is due to frost. In early winter the hydrangea drops its leaves, but the plump buds at or near the tips of the branches contain all of next year's blossoms. These buds are vulnerable to frost — just a touch of too-cold air and bang goes next year's display.

In inland locations, and even in low-lying frost pockets close to the sea, some protection is required for these tender buds if hydrangea blooms are to be seen and enjoyed next summer.

The protection needn't be elaborate. Often a single spraying of Wilt-Pruf, a liquid plastic, is sufficient. Another simple method is to gather the shoots loosely together, tying them with something soft that won't chafe the bark — an old nylon stocking is ideal — then covering the whole plant with a plastic garment bag, tearing a few holes in the top for ventilation.

A friend of mine who lives in a notorious frost pocket never had a single bloom on his hydrangeas until he started this garment bag stunt.

Hydrangeas are not the only plants on the borderline of hardiness. In the rock garden, for instance, we grow many plants which will stand up well for perhaps four years out of five, but which will succumb in a winter of abnormal weather. With these alpine subjects, though, the casualties are more often caused by excessive wetness rather than simple low temperatures. Natives of the high places of the world, they are accustomed to a dry cold and their stems will rot under soggy conditions.

The woolly-leafed and fuzzy-leafed plants in particular are the ones to be protected, as the texture of their foliage catches and holds enough moisture to cause decay. Whenever possible, these kinds should be given a steep slope in the rock garden to ensure good surface drainage.

It helps, too, to mound up a handful of small gravel or stone chips around each plant to help keep the stems and growing points dry.

Some of the more difficult alpine plants may need a glass or plastic umbrella over their heads in addition to the stone chips. A square of ordinary window glass will serve nicely, and this can be held by supporting stakes and spring type clothes pegs.

Only overhead protection is required and the sides must be left open for free air circulation, otherwise the plant is likely to become mildewed.

We don't often think of delphiniums as borderline plants, but only too often our most cherished specimens fail to answer roll call in the spring. The cause of death in this case is neither frost nor damp, but slugs, which are inordinately fond of the succulent growth buds in the top of the roots.

A shallow mound of coarse cinders over delphinium roots is an old-time protective device, for the soft underbelly of the slug is easily damaged by such scratchy material. Nowadays it is customary to use a few slug pellets; protected from the rain by flower pots or grapefruit skins; these provide a fatal counter attraction.

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — The difference between Christmas past and Christmas present is the TV commercial. In the good old pre-television days children asked for toys by their generic instead of their brand names.

A child sitting on Santa Claus' lap in a department store might plead for a "train," "a doll," an "airplane" or a "stuffed teddy bear."

"No problem," Santa Claus would say, "providing you are good, ho-ho-ho."

But alas, today's little tyke, through the magic of television, has been told what he or she ***needs*** for Christmas. "Zoom, boom, whingggg — the new Luggmobile made by Cliptoys. It goes forward, backward and up the wall. This battery-equipped, radio-controlled car will make you the envy of every kid on the block. It only costs $39.50. Don't wake up on Christmas morning without one. Tell your mother and father right now that you'll stay in bed all day long unless there is a Luggmobile waiting for you under the tree."

Or "Hey kids. She's finally here. Dolly Teardrops, who not only cries and wails when her diapers get wet, but also gets carsick. She's so real she could be your little sister. Dolly Teardrops wants to be part of your home. She comes with a complete change of clothes and a cradle for just $49.95. If your parents buy a substitute throw it against the wall. Unless it's a real Dolly, it isn't a Dolly at all."

Okay, that's the way of the world, but it presents problems, particularly for aunts, uncles, cousins and godparents.

There are about 10 or 12 big Christmas toy items being pushed by the companies this year, and while Johnny is having problems reading, he seems to be able to remember not only the brand name of the toy being advertised, but also the price, the name of the manufacturer and the serial number. Many can even read the small print which says "Patent Pending."

So Grandma, Aunt Tillie and Uncle George all go out and buy a Luggmobile for little Ben. So does Ben's mother, and the Winstons who live next door. On the big day little Ben is up to his jeans in Luggmobiles, and he keeps walking around asking anyone who will listen to him, "Is this all there is to Christmas?"

Little Ben's sister Martha is just as perplexed. There are Dolly Teardrops as far as the eye can see. Most of them are carsick. Martha asks Ben if he wants to trade a Luggmobile for a Dolly Teardrops. Ben makes the swap which disturbs his father no end.

"Don't open any more Luggmobiles or Dolly Teardrops," he says. "We'll take them back to the store tomorrow for something else. What do you want instead?"

Little Ben turns on the television set. "Lite Beer," he replies.

"That's not for kids. Think of something else."

"How can I think of something else if I don't see it on television?" Ben asks.

Martha switches the dial. "I want Oil of Olay so my skin won't dry up," Martha says.

"Oil of Olay is for women over 40," Martha's mother says. "Surely there must be another toy you want?"

"I won't know until next Saturday morning."

Now the worst part of Christmas morning is when the kids come back for lunch after showing their presents to their friends.

"Bucky got four Luggmobiles," Ben says.

"Ann got six Dolly Teardrops."

"Didn't anyone get something different?"

"Michael got a football," Ben says, trying to keep a stiff upper lip.

"How did he get a football instead of a Luggmobile?"

"His parents won't let him watch television."

Sydney Harris

Thoughts at Large:

● One of the encouraging aspects of human relations is the fact that for every one person you get to like less on greater acquaintance, there are at least 10 you get to like more. (Familiarity, in this respect, breeds compassion more than contempt.)

● The most dangerous motorist, in my experience, is neither the speeder nor the crawler, but the insulated driver who seems to be enveloped in a total vacuum, oblivious of anything that may be happening in front, behind, or around him.

● Any sect that pretends it knows which souls will be "saved" and which not is a rank offence against piety. (Recalling that Jesus rebuked the Pharisees for supposing that those who obeyed the laws were spiritually superior to those who transgressed them.)

● If even the finest author tried to act without any training or experience, he would be laughed off the stage by professionals; yet any actor or actress seems to imagine that all that is needed is a typewriter in order to turn out a book.

● Ninety per cent of what most of us call "freedom" is privilege; indeed, most people would rather give up freedoms than privileges.

● Throughout all of human history, it is in the service of the things we honor most — God, country, and family — that we perform the vilest deeds. (The tragedy of the species is that it is not our animal natures that betray us, but our highest ideals.)

● If each country recruited its diplomats with the stipulation that they would be the first to be shot in the event of an armed confrontation, it is hard not to believe that the incidence of war would decline swiftly and sharply.

● How can newspapers be blamed for printing the kind of news they do, as long as we are the first to gossip about Couple A's impending divorce, and the last to recall Couple B's silver anniversary?

● If tomorrow morning everyone woke up looking exactly alike, in features, complexion, and stature, by tomorrow afternoon we would begin discriminating against some of the basis of posture, gesture or odor.

● We ought to revert to the older phrase, "political economy," when we discuss "economics" today, for if we have learned anything in this century, it is the inextricable intertwining of politics and economics that makes it nearly impossible to solve any problem rationally and fairly.

● Pupils need more to be taught to ask better questions than to provide better answers.

Stuart Rosenberg

Every great movement, every significant human hope and ideal, has been fostered and preserved by a small nucleus. A quick glance at the human adventure helps to document a law of history. It is always a small unit of dedicated people which shapes the life of nations, religions, and cultures.

Christianity, founded and fostered by small groups of martyrs, grew atop the ruins of the Roman Empire.

In the Middle Ages, Christian culture was the intimate possession of only the limited few. Here and there, in monasteries, hidden from general view, small groups of devoted people pondered their faith, wrote their classical works, and kept alive the spirit of an earlier time. Indeed, without these groups, unheralded and unknown in their own day, what has become known as the Renaissance would have been impossible.

When the universities were closed in Poland during the period of Russian domination, a century and a half ago, a group of Polish patriots continued to persevere in the face of what seemed obvious cultural annihilation.

In the United States, the law of the land was exploited to continue to oppress slaves. But a tiny group, the Abolitionists, printed newspapers, lobbied Congress, and kept up the good fight until victory was achieved. The power of an effective nucleus is summed up in the words of William Lloyd Garrison, "I am in earnest. I will not equivocate, I will not retreat a single inch. I will be heard!"

When we think of any great and significant movement in human achievement, upon closer scrutiny we find that a small nucleus was responsible for that which has come to be accepted as part of the human treasury. Indeed, this same fact applied to negative movements in human history. Nazism developed and grew as a result of the fanatical zeal of a handful of people devoted to that maniacal cause. To this day it is quite apparent that the smallest of minorities actually controls and holds a larger part of the world in thraldom as the result of its passionate beliefs in the doctrines of Soviet communism.

Let it be clear, then, that in every society that which determines its character, its program, its future, is dependent upon the existence within it of a strong and effective minority of people who can say with Garrison, "I am in earnest. I will be heard!"

Every society consists, it seems, of at least three groups. There are always those who are busy getting what they want. There is a small number of people concerned with understanding what it is that the community needs. It is the smallest number, however, which has the perception and the courage to dedicate itself earnestly to making the people want what they need.

Moses sent 12 men into Canaan. Ten came back frightened and disturbed. They were unable to accept that land as a place of promise. Only two returned with a sense of hope, and with the dream of the promise still vivid within them.

This is the picture the Bible portrays. It is also a picture of our time. The future of our world, as in the world of Moses, depends upon the vigor and faith of sincere minorities.

—Colonist photo by Ian McKain

A song of cheer and a donation, too

Children have played a big part in swelling the *Colonist* 500 Fund beyond the $50,000 mark. This group raised voices—and $39.60—in an evening of carolling in Gordon Head. They are, front, Greg McCullough, second row, from left, Vicky Verpoorte, Daryl McCullough, Glenda Kroeger, back row, from left, Paul Verpoorte, Sherri-Lynn McCullough and Garth Kroeger.

'Half' jobless abuse UIC

OTTAWA (CP)—At least half of Canada's unemployed people are abusing the unemployment insurance system, a Liberal MP told the Commons Wednesday.

John Campbell, who represents the Quebec riding of LaSalle-Emard-Cote Saint-Paul, said that of 800,000 to 900,000 officially unemployed people in the country, only 400,000 were "legitimately unemployed."

Campbell spoke during debate on a government motion to cut debate on its amendments to the Unemployment Insurance Act, in order to pass the bill by Friday.

The motion was passed by vote of 110 to 90, with the Conservatives, New Democrats and Social Crediters voting against the Liberals.

Campbell said the bill would cut unemployment insurance payments by nearly $2 billion within the next two years, providing more money for job-creation programs. The money would be taken away only from people who abused the system, not from people who honestly couldn't find jobs, the Liberal backbencher said.

That statement brought jeers from Conservative and New Democrat MPs. "There's nothing in the bill about abuse," said New Democrat Les Benjamin (Regina-Lake Centre). "If you read the bill, you'd know."

Campbell admitted he had not read the bill.

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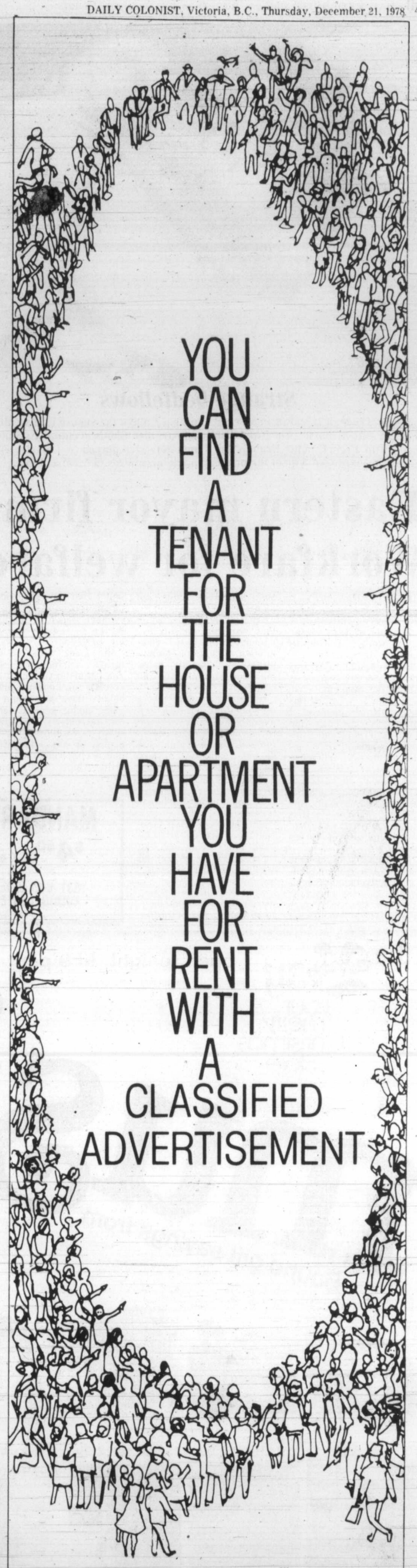

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Strange bedfellows

Margaret Trudeau is shown in a scene from her latest movie, *The Guardian Angel*, with French actor Francis Lemaire. The estranged wife of the prime minister plays the spouse of a wealthy industrialist. She is eventually seduced by a detective played by Lemaire. The movie premieres in Montreal today. —CP

Love-torn 'in perfect days'

Sophia recalls steamy triangle

NEW YORK (UPI)—Cary Grant pursued Sophia Loren through a passionate love affair in 1957 in which he begged her to marry him, the Italian actress disclosed Wednesday with publication of her life story.

Miss Loren, in the first instalment of her autobiography in the current issue of *McCall's* magazine, said she was torn between "those perfect days" with Grant and her love for Italian producer Carlo Ponti, whom she was living with at the time.

The actress and Grant met when they co-starred in Miss Loren's first American film, *The Pride and the Passion*.

"With every passing day, he said he was more sure that we belonged together, that finally he had found in me someone to whom he could totally relate . . . to whom he could commit himself and to hell with being vulnerable," Miss Loren said.

But the actress, then 22, said she was waiting for Ponti, who was still married, to finally propose "and give up his wife and children for me.

"I did not want to to be an undeclared mistress or any kind of mistress . . . and here was Cary Grant, ready to renounce everything for me," Miss Loren wrote.

The Loren-Grant love affair finally drove Ponti to propose, she said. "Carlo knew Cary was still in my thoughts. Instinctively I knew that Cary's fervid interest brought pressure to bear on Carlo . . ."

In her autobiography, the woman who was to become one of the world's superstars describes her squalid, illegitimate early life in war-ravaged Italy, and how she used her first pay cheque as an actress to buy her sister, Maria, a name from her natural father.

"My father had refused to give my mother anything for my support . . . he had a proposition . . . he would sell his name to Maria for the one million lire he had found out I had been paid. I didn't hesitate."

Miss Loren said when she first started in films, cameramen complained that her nose was too long, "and I was too hippy." She refused to have her nose fixed or lose weight, telling them, "I want to be myself just as I am. I won't change anything."

Loren
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Eastern mayor firm: Workfare for welfare

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—It started out as another one of those campaign promises.

"I'll put welfare recipients to work," Al Gleeson said.

Now Gleeson, who was elected London's mayor in last month's municipal elections, finds that promise has made him the focus of a controversy that may find its way into towns and cities across Canada.

His promise is a scheme in the works called Workfare.

He believes the proposal was popular enough to bring about his victory over Jane Bigelow, London's first woman mayor who had headed this city of 250,000 since 1972.

"I campaigned on the issue and I've come into office with that kind of community support you need for a program like this," says Gleeson, 54. "I know what some people say, but it's not an evil concept."

What some people say is that requiring welfare recipients to put in a certain number of hours of community work is unfair, dehumanizing, unproductive and costly.

Gleeson says that asking for something in return for a monthly government cheque is reasonable, progressive—for both the individual and the city—and a way to show those on welfare that the working life is not so bad after all.

"I don't understand that (criticism)," he says. "Some people make it seem like there are going to be work gangs going out, like we're going to be putting numbers on their backs. It's just not so."

What Gleeson campaigned on and stressed in his inaugural address Dec. 4 was the belief that any able-bodied person receiving welfare assistance should be required by law to assist in community projects.

He, along with the Ontario's Correctional Services Minister Gordon Walker (MP for London South), believe these jobs could include doing general labor for the elderly, shovelling snow, cleaning up river banks, or any other work that is either ignored or left to the whims of city volunteers.

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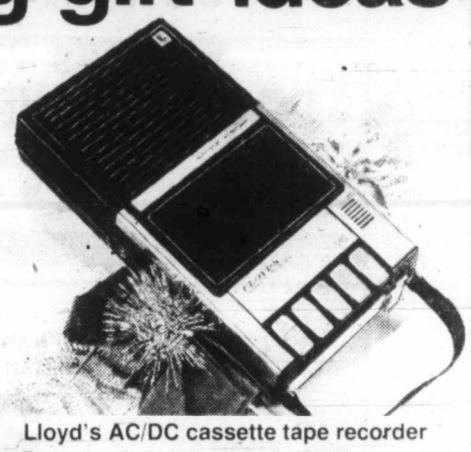

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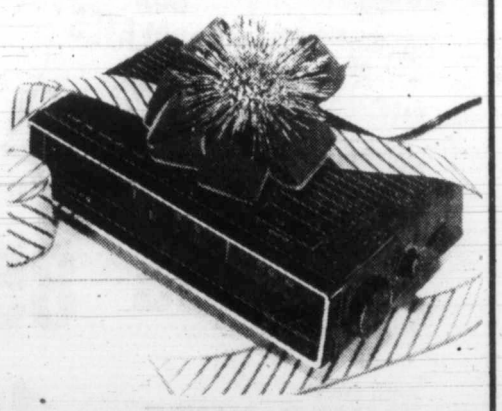

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Hijack, riots back Gandhi

NEW DELHI, India (UPI) — Two gunmen who hijacked an Indian Airlines jet and demanded freedom for Indira Gandhi freed their 129 captives Thursday, climaxing a violent day of nationwide demonstrations by supporters of the former prime minister.

An airline spokesman said the gunmen freed the 123 passengers and six crew members this morning, some 12 hours after they seized the Boeing 737 jetliner.

The spokesman said the hijackers were being flown from Benares aboard another Indian Airlines Boeing 737 jet to Lucknow, capital of Uttar Pradesh state.

All India Radio reported the hijackers might be allowed to address a news conference at Lucknow, apparently part of the deal for freeing the passangers and crew.

In violent demonstrations Wednesday, protesters stoned and burned buses and cars in more than a dozen cities, forced shops to close and clashed with police or with opponents of Mrs. Gandhi.

At least five people died, hundreds were injured and more than 20,000 arrested.

Mrs. Gandhi's supporters vowed before her expulsion and arrest by Parliament Tuesday to "fill the jails of India."

They made a start Wednesday, though calls for strikes in almost all Indian states met with limited response, except in Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh.

Up to 10,000 demonstrators in Bangalore paralyzed traffic, looted shops and a freight train and, in one case, surrounded a police car and forced the release of prisoners inside before stoning the officers.

Airline officials said two hijackers armed with pistols and grenades commandeered the Boeing 737 jetliner with 126 people aboard moments before it was scheduled to land in New Delhi on a domestic flight from Calcutta.

They ordered the pilot to return to Patna, one of three other stops along the plane's route. Told there were no night landing facilities at Patna, the hijackers diverted the plane to Benares west of New Delhi, where officials said they were holding the passengers and six crewmembers hostage.

Mrs. Gandhi was expelled from parliament and jailed Tuesday on charges that she illegally used her powers of office as prime minister to block an investigation of her son's business dealings in 1975.

BENNETT SEES SMOOTH SAILING

Premier Bennett Wednesday said he expected B.C. ferry fares to remain steady in 1979.

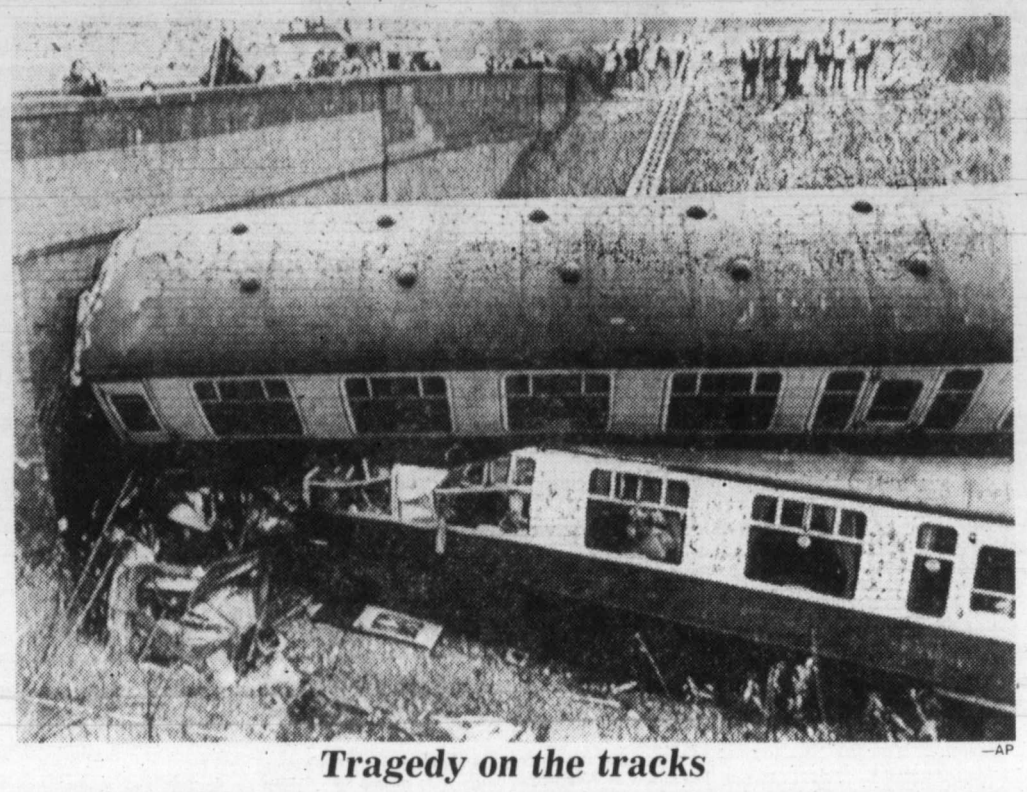
During a year-end interview he was asked if ferry users could look forward to a price increase during the next 12 months.

"The directors won't need an increase," he said. "The very large subsidy they now receive has a cost-price escalator automatic every year. If they manage the system efficiently they have lots of money from the government."

On the future of ICBC, Bennett said the government insurance corporation would continue to hold a monopoly in B.C. He agreed that private companies might again compete with the government firm "some time in the future" but that was not being seriously considered at present.

"Our immediate concern is that ICBC establish the way we can bring equity for all people purchasing insurance," he said. At present there are different rates geared to age, marital status and sex.

"We want to bring equity to those groups," he said. "We never set out to destroy ICBC, just to clean up the mess, make it work."



—AP

Tragedy on the tracks

A living nightmare, one railway coach lies atop another Wednesday following crash at Patcham, near Brighton, England, killing at least three persons and injuring 40. One of the trains was stopped, and officials said other train might have failed to stop due to signal malfunction. In similar crash, a Belfast-Dublin express train slammed into back of a train, killing driver and injuring seven others.

Air fare boosts put off

OTTAWA (CP) — Air fare increases scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1, by the two major airlines and five regional carriers were suspended Wednesday until April 1 by the Canadian transport commission.

Air Canada, CP Air, Transair, Nordair, Pacific Western Airlines, Quebecair and Eastern Provincial Airlines earlier had approval for increases in fares averaging five per cent starting in the new year.

The commission said recent developments, including the suspension of an increase in oil prices and the November budget of Finance Minister Jean Chretien, must be taken into account to determine whether the proposed increaes were reasonable and fair.

The Chretien budget made changes in the sales tax and investment tax credits affecting the airlines.

The commission said it wanted to see final operating figures of the airlines for the last few months of this year and their forecasts for next year, taking into account the new developments.

Earlier in the day, the Consumers Association of Canada issued a news release saying the financial picture of the two main carriers showed the increases were not necessary.

The group also said Air Canada and CP Air charged more for domestic mileage than they did for international routes.

London gets the jitters for Christmas

LONDON (CP) — This Christmas season, London is a city with the jitters.

In addition to contending with the usual seasonal upsurge in crime, Scotland Yard has drafted an extra 2,000 uniformed policemen into the West End to prevent bomb attacks on major stores crowded with shoppers.

The police are drawn from all over London and are working a 12-hour day with all leaves cancelled.

"Crime prevention officers throughout London are visiting all stores to discuss preventative security measures with security staff and to advise on evacuation procedures in the event of bomb alerts," a Scotland Yard spokesman said.

The move, code-named Operation Santa, has been prompted not only by the recent wave of bombings in Britain and by an Irish Republican Army threat of further violence, but also by intelligence from security services.

"A large area of central London will be ringed with police briefed to stop suspects entering or leaving the vulnerable areas," a Scotland Yard statement said.

The operation, mainly by uniformed police, will be backed up by armed mobile patrols at night.

Two car-bombs have exploded in London this week without casualties and police are hunting for a third vehicle, believed driven by a terrorist nicknamed Bald Eagle.

Late Tuesday night the

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Ulster hotels bombed

BELFAST (Reuter) — Irish republican terrorists Wednesday night carried out a bomb blitz on leading Northern Ireland hotels.

Two hotels blazed after the attacks and blasts caused damage at two others. At yet another two hotels, British army bomb disposal squads worked on packages planted there by armed and masked men.

Police said casualties were only four persons slightly wounded and a fireman injured but they warned hotel managers that more blasts can be expected.

The police, who said more hotel bombings could be expected, blamed the attacks on the militant Provisional wing of the IRA, which launched bomb attacks earlier in the week in London and other British cities.

Farms outlook: A race for food

B.C. has enough agricultural land to be completely self-sufficient if all such land were brought under cultivation.

But the report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture dealing with land productivity states that by 1996 "this capacity will be eroded by increasing population levels to the extent that within 20 years, barring a dramatic increase in productivity levels, the province will not be able to meet all of its food requirements with home production."

The report, made public Wednesday, is a companion document to an earlier report dealing with unused agricultural land.

Highly technical in nature, the latest report basically states that while B.C. could, if the need arose, produce all the foodstuffs it needs right now, it would need a super effort to bring all land into use and 20 years from now there wouldn't be enough land to satisfy all provincial needs anyway.

"Presently cultivated land, estimated to be 600,000 hectares, (1.8 million acres) currently averages 40 to 45 per cent of the total consumption levels of food crops and livestock products that can be produced in the province," the report states.

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Blame it on ice packs

Santa out of a job

United Press International

Vancouver Island's best known Santa Claus said Wednesday he was out of a job this year because of an Arctic ice-pack.

George Thomas, an 18-year veteran of the Victoria-based Canadian Coast Guard vessel *Camsell*, has played Santa to the children of Vancouver Island's 31 lighthouse and lifeboat station operators for 12 years.

This summer, however, the ship was damaged during its annual ice-breaking patrol in the Arctic, and was unable to take Santa on his appointed rounds.

But the children won't be disappointed. Another Santa—from a Coast Guard helicopter borrowed by the Ministry of Transport—has arranged to take the place of the "bitterly disappointed" Thomas.

Jim Brown, an transport ministry safety inspector, will play Santa in a rented suit.

For his yuletide role, Thomas was awarded the Canadian Centennial Medal in 1967 for "service to the nation."

—Colonist photo by Alex Barta

Smiles of anticipation

Christmas for almost everyone is a time of anticipation, and for the young most of all. Jason Lee, 20 months, makes a final check of the goodies provided by Santa's helpers in a toy store in Mayfair shopping mall. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lee, 1230 Enid in Central Saanich.

Israeli air raids deplored by U.S.

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WASHINGTON (Reuter) — The United States criticized Israel's air raids against Palestinian targets in Lebanon on Wednesday.

The state department acknowledged the Israeli explanation that the raids were in rataliation for Palestinian guerrilla attacks against Israeli civilians but spokesman Tom Reston said the U.S. deplored both the guerrilla raids and the Israeli retaliation.

"Over the past few months, we have deplored repeatedly terrorist acts inside Israel, the most recent being the bus bombing last Sunday in Jerusalem," he said in a statement.

"Now there is this report of the Israeli bombing raids in Lebanon, which I understand are related by the Israelis to the terrorist incidents inside Israel. We deplore this escalating spiral of violence. It inflicts suffering on innocent victims and it hurts the cause of peace in the Middle East."

BREZHNEV FIRST

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. President Carter hopes to meet Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev around Jan. 15, about two weeks before China's deputy premier comes to Washington, national security adviser Zbigniew Brzezinski said Wednesday.

Brezhnev has consistently made it clear he would attend his first summit with Carter only if a strategic arms limitation agreement was ready for the two leaders to sign.

State Secretary Cyrus Vance planned to continue the S.A.L.T. II talks in Geneva today with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko but there were increasing doubts they would be able to wrap up the complicated negotiations for limiting the nuclear arsenals of the superpowers.

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500 Fund

Sharing warm hearts

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Imagine the laughter of a child at the sight of a longed-for toy.

Imagine the tears in a mother's eyes at the child's reaction.

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They will look at a roast, but put it back when they see the price. They won't even look at turkeys this year.

They've seen better times, but inflation has eroded their once adequate pensions and plowed them under the minimum existence level.

And all the tinsel and advertising for outlandishly expensive presents, all the wild buying sprees won't change the fact that some people are facing a bleak Christmas. Right here in our community.

We can't banish poverty by waving a magic wand, but we can bring a little warmth into the hearts of many by sharing just a little.

For 22 years now, the *Colonist* 500 Fund has helped bring cheer to the most needy families in Victoria. Contributions to this year's fund drive will be accepted until 12 noon today. Donations received after that deadline will be carried over to next year's drive.

As of Tuesday, the fund had passed the $50,000 mark, but the organizers hope to make $60,000 so each recipient would get a cheque for about $120.

Donations may be brought to the *Colonist* office at 2621 Douglas until noon today.

U.S. loses track of its glitter

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. treasury department said Wednesday that 5,200 ounces of gold—valued at $1.1 million—was missing from its New York City assay office, the second time in history the United States has lost track of some its gold stockpile.

The gold probably disappeared between 1973 and 1977, although faulty management and accounting procedures made it impossible to determine exactly when the gold losses began, a treasury spokesman said.

Officials said the only other instance of U.S.-owned gold being lost came in 1955 at the Denver Mint.

That loss involved 1,800 ounces and was traced to an elderly employee who "apparently gave it away, just like Santa Claus," an official said. He was never prosecuted and none of the gold was recovered.

Bennett is last hope

Objecting to the Foreign Investment Review Agency's refusal to review the sale of Gray Line Sightseeing of Victoria Ltd. to an American firm, Victoria MLA Charles Barber and Victoria Ald. Robin Blencoe said Tuesday they would ask Premier Bennett's co-operation in snuffing the sale.

The Foreign Investment Review Agency declined Tuesday to review the controversial sale because the Foreign Investment Review Act exempts crown corporations or corporations such as Gray Line which are wholly-owned by a provincial government.

Barber said Tuesday in an interview he was "disappointed but not surprised" that FIRA declined to review the sale.

"The Foreign Investment Review Agency turns out to be badly in need of teeth—even dentures would do," Barber said.

"There is only one course open now. Tomorrow (Wednesday) morning I will deliver by hand a letter to Premier Bennett and ask him to undo the damage Hugh Curtis (former municipal affairs minister) did one month ago.

"I will ask Bill Bennett to acknowledge the fact that the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, the Victoria Labor Council and Victoria city council are united in their opposition to this sale.

"I will ask Bennett to overturn Curtis' decision and to initiate a new round of bids open to Canadian businessmen only.

"Bill Bennett is the only person tonight who can save the situation. I hope he will not fail us."

Barber said that to his knowledge not one local person had come forward to support the sale.

He said "several Social Credit party members were equally appalled by what Curtis did.

"The only people who want the sale to go through are the Americans and Hugh Curtis."

Barber said he also wrote Municipal Affairs Minister William Vander Zalm when Vander Zalm recently took over the ministry in a cabinet shuffle.

Barber said Vander Zalm "has yet to give me the courtesy of a reply. Accordingly, I'm going to the premier."

Victoria Ald. Robin Blencoe, who made the original motion on council to oppose the sale, said Tuesday he would ask Victoria Mayor Michael Young on Wednesday "if he will make representations to the government, either the premier or Vander Zalm."

Young told aldermen last week at a council meeting that he agreed with Blencoe's report opposing the sale, and he thought it was "appropriate" to ask the government to reconsider its decision.

Public hearings will feature Highlands zoning

Public hearings will be held early next year on changed zoning for the Highlands, currently under a 45-acre freeze.

The Capital Region Board has decided to put most of the Highlands into a 10-acre lot size zone, but to allow residential development in some areas covered by the Willis Point and Langford fire departments.

Langford director Ed Lubick, who has worked with residents on needed zoning changes, told a local planning and zoning committee earlier that he has about 100 pages of briefs from residents, and opinion seems to be divided into two distinct, and equal camps.

Half of the residents want the 45-acre freeze to remain, while the other half want to be allowed to develop property.

He said the board has to find some way to work out a compromise between the two positions.

Sooke director Charles Perkins said there was an inherent injustice in zoning changes that were dictated by straight lines on a map, and he wanted more individual consideration of residents' needs.

At present, he said, the community was asking land owners to hold onto their land and keep it as greenbelt.

"If we are going to have a wilderness in the Highlands it is really going to be for the benefit of the larger community. We should be finding ways of deciding how much land we need for parks and asking the community if they are prepared to acquire the property, otherwise we should take a chance and see what happens."

The idea of some land being held vacant was based, he said, on the European tradition of having large tracts of land left vacant as baronial lands under the old feudal system.

"In Canada today we make people into instant lords and barons and require that them to hold these lands open," he said.

Food for thought

Things were a little different back in England of 1812.

For instance, an extravagant meal given by one government official for several other factotums cost the princely sum of one pound, three shillings.

That was when a pound was a significant portion of a laborer's annual wage; today, the pound is equivalent to about $2 Canadian.

On the other hand, many of the things which we view as modern problems existed two centuries ago and were of equal interest to informed citizens of the day, letters recently donated to the national library in Ottawa by Oak Bay resident Austin Loy of 1828 Monteith indicate.

The letters, five in all, were written by one Samuel Whitcombe to the Prince Regent, later George IV. Whitcombe was a well-educated layman who was concerned about England's financial state, its economy, the reform of Parliament, and the loss in buying power of the shilling, Loy said.

That was before the days that people wrote to newspapers to communicate their ideas to the public at large. So Whitcombe, probably proud of his ideas and convinced of their importance, had them printed at a print shop and then assembled into a folio. They were addressed to the Prince Regent, but there is no record of a reply, Loy says.

Regardless of the reception they got in 1812, the national library is very glad to receive them, Loy said.

The letters took up about 45 pages in the folio, and a copy was passed down in Loy's family through a great great grandmother who was a Whitcombe.

Loy decided to donate them to the national library through Victoria MP Allan McKinnon. The letters were welcomed by both the librarian and McKinnon because they describe conditions that still exist, among them extravagance and waste in government, including that expensive meal for government officials.

In addition to reading through the letters, the national library re-bound the folio, since its aging binding was falling apart, and Loy had a chance to see the work when McKinnon brought the re-bound folio back to Victoria to show him.

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Santa comes calling

COURTENAY — It happens every year and it happened again this year, just as city council was getting down to the regular business agenda.

Santa Claus arrived amid a loud clanging of bells and happy ho ho hos.

The annual visit of the elderly gentleman has been going on for more than 30 years and every year, the witty remarks which accompany the zany gifts, get funnier. This year was no exception.

There was a gag gift for everyone in council chambers and some candy as well as a bit of Christmas spirit for everyone.

Before he left for other parts of the Comox Valley, Santa was presented with a portrait of Sid Williams in one of his character parts as an old Irishman. The picture will have a plaque placed on it with suitable wording and will then hang in the lobby of the civic theatre.

Santa was suitably impressed and departed with more bell-ringing and laughs.

In class by themselves

Students in John Barnard's retail marketing course at Nanaimo's Malaspina College found themselves involved in a real-life situation when they attended recent workshop at Northbrook mall. With co-operation from two stores, students undertook complete appraisal of each operation, concentrating on such factors as location, display, stock, image and policy. Barnard, seen here with students Norma Jolliffe, Kaye Hudspeth and Signy Bowell, reports that the workshop was extremely successful with students responding well to practical emphasis of assignment.

Special bridge urged

COURTENAY — A delegation of about 40 people, opposed to construction of a second river crossing at 17th Street, have proposed a Bailey bridge be erected at 14th Street as a temporary solution to the city traffic problem, until a bypass can be constructed.

Ian Potts appeared as spokesman for the group which attended the December meeting of Comox-Strathcona regional Board. He said the group also recommends purchase of the former Bank of Commerce building at the corner of Cliffe and 5th Street to allow for widening and upgrading of the corner.

The group contends the new bridge will be a key point in what they claim will eventually become a four-lane highway from Nanaimo north.

The petitioners demanded proof that regional directors would call a public meeting in the new year to discuss the 17th Street crossing.

Later in the meeting, director Joan Stephens called for a public meeting with what she termed as an open agenda."

However, Alex Fraser, highways minister, stated recently he was not prepared to discuss the 17th Street crossing any further but would talk about long-range plans for the area.

The petitioners claim to have 6,000 of the Comox Valley's 40,000 people in support of their plan.

Herbicide given big blast through petition

DUNCAN — Cowichan Valley Region Board has received a 125-signature petition "demanding that all further use of 2,4-D by B.C. Forest Products or anyone else be ended."

The petition and extracts from *The Other Face Of 2,4-D*, a fact-finding book published by South Okanagan Environmental Goalition in Penticton, were sent to CVRD by Duncan resident Jan Norris.

Norris said 2,4-D should not be used by BCFP "because it poses a substantial threat to the environment, and thus to human health."

The book maintained that 2,4-D caused birth defects; was cancer-causing, and triggered alterations in the genetic material.

"A powerline right-of-way on Galiano Island was sprayed in 1972," it was pointed out.

"The line ran near the water supply of Dan and Francine Renaud. Their daughters, Sarah and Tamie, were born in 1973 and 1975, both with malformations of the spine.

"There are other reports of a high incidence of spina bifida (spine malformations) and cleft palate in the area at the time, as well as one child born with hydrocephalus (abnormal enlargement of the cranium). The child died at the age of two.

"The public began to become aware of the potential of 2,4-D to cause birth defects in early 1969.

"At that time the U.S. health and welfare department released the Mrak report. This study included the test results of the Bionetics Laboratories research into the effects of 2,4-D on mice.

"The tests clearly indicated that the herbicide was teratogenic (causing birth defects) in the laboratory animals.

"Some of the common abnormalities observed were cleft palate, clubfoot, no eyes, no lower jaw, distorted, missing or extra ribs, unformed breast bone, brain mislocation, enlargement of the skull and various hemorrhages."

Other supporting evidence was included, demonstrating that 2,4-D causes malignant tumors (cancer) in laboratory rats and mice and that it could also cause cancer in humans.

Regional directors moved that the Norris letter be forwarded to the Central Vancouver Island Union Board of Health, for the attention of Dr. P.J. Reynolds, "as this use concerns a substantial threat to human health."

Sanctuary status queried

NANAIMO — The financial relationship between Malaspina College and the B.C. Land Commission in regard to the Morrell Wildlife Sanctuary was questioned by commission representative Gordon Gram at the recent annual meeting of the sanctuary board.

Gram, noting that the 275-acre sanctuary had been leased to the college by the commission for a nominal rent over a 40-year period some five years ago, said that Malaspina had promised to provide funding for maintenance and for the provision of educational programs related specifically to the sanctuary.

In turn the commission was responsible for an annual budget of around $9,500, but it was felt that this money should be used exclusively for the protection and management of the property rather than for the development of programs, Gram said.

He went on to explain that the commission was being given more and more land to manage throughout the province.

"In fact, management has been very much on our minds recently and we believe it is up to the college to ensure that greater public and educational use is made of the sanctuary.

"So far we have not seen any extensive use made of this area by the general student body and, while we appreciate the restrictions imposed by curriculum, we hope that the college will find a way to fund programs that will allow for curriculum development in association with the sanctuary."

"In future," Gram continued, "we are going to have to look very closely at financial accountability and will want to know exactly how the college proposes to use the money provided by the commission. We certainly feel we need to see greater cost benefit from the sanctuary program which now appears to involve only a few students each summer."

Gram concluded by saying that the agreement between the college and the sactuary, to which the commission holds title, was probably unique in North America, especially in relation to the actual site of the college.

"This is really a tremendous asset, a unique resource, one worthy of support, and the commission would like to see a member of college council as an active member of the sanctuary board, for we believe there must be more forward planning than there has been in the past," he said.

Sanctuary board member Stan Deveraux, from the B.C. fish and wildlife branch, urged Gram not to base his evaluation of the sanctuary simply for the future," he commented.

College faculty member Dave Smith, another member of the board, pointed out that students at present were using the sanctuary in its natural state and that money was needed from the budget for educational research and development.

This prompted Gam to note that commission money was definitely not intended for educational purposes.

"Imagine how the other colleges and universities would react if they heard we were funding educational activities at Malaspina," he said.

In the annual report of the board, presented by chairman Dave Kerridge, it was noted that the sanctuary was developing well and shows exciting potential for the future.

"Students are gaining valuable experience as well as summer employment from the sanctuary," Kerridge explained.

In rounding off his report he commented: "We must still come to grips with the role the college plays in the affairs of the sanctuary and feel that a better line of communication must be establisjed between college council and the board than that of one actual report a year."

In his report Kerridge detailed some of the projects that had been carried out at the sanctuary during the year. The most important of these is a unique deer ranching experiment using Columbia blacktail deer, which are native to Vancouver Island.

A 20-acre section of the sanctuary has been prepared and fenced off using funds from the commission and an additional sum of almost $60 provided by the Nanaimo and District Fish and Game Club.

The club also sponsored a Young Canada Works project, which allowed six students to be hired for preliminary clearing and fence building during the early part of the summer.

Two more students were hired by Community Employment Strategies for the deer project.

At the start there were 13 springborn fawns in the enclosure being hand-fed on a daily basis but five were later donated for a parasite study project at the Universtity of Alberta.

Two others died, leaving the present population of two bucks and four does along with two or three more older animals that stayed on and the 4,000-foot chain link fence was being completed.

The ranching project, which should run for three years or more, has been established to study the feasibility of raising deer for meat in a controlled situation.

For the first year the young deer will be fed natural forage that is readily available in the area and then, in the secomd year, this diet will be supplemented with high-protein-value artificial food, probably in dry pellet form.

In the third year their feed will all be manufactured with an ongoing program of weighing and measuring being followed throughout the study with a view to finding the most economical means of producing meat protein for human consumption.

Game ranching with a wide variety of native species is already being carried our in Russia, China, New Zealand and several African countries, but it is believed that this is the first time that any real effort has been made to determine the economic feasifility of rearting Columbia blacktail deer.

Comments second-year student Dean Crick, who has been involved in the project from the start with fellow student Kim Brunt:

"It is suggested by many sources that raising wild ungulates (deer) for meat protein byproducts represents an alternate use for newly-logged areas in B.C. The growing shortage of meat protein throughout the world demands attention and game ranching may represent an efficient way of obtaining this protein from undeveloped land."

Council asks big question

COURTENAY — Council has asked itself the question: "Do we want roadside pedlars and farmer's markets?"

The question was asked after it received a request from the ministry of agriculture for information about city licensing requirements.

Mayor William Moore asked if the city really wanted pedlars selling produce and will that eventually lead to carpet salesmen and velvet paintings being sold by the roadside or from the back of a van.

Another question to be decided, he said, was whether produce sold in a farmers' market should be specifically local and would it be restricted solely to produce.

Council appeared to have varied reactions to the subject and Ald. Skip Blain will research the matter and report to council in the new year.

In other council business:

- The Winter Carnival, which runs from Feb. 2 to 11, will receive a grant of $500.
- Kinsmen will conduct the annual Mothers' March between Jan. 28 and Feb. 3.
- Installation of necessary phone lines will see a fire light installed at the bridge entrances to control traffic when a fire occurs, to allow fire trucks free access to the bridge.
- A railway traffic control device will be installed at 26th Street, to be paid for by Commerce Capital, developers of the Driftwood Mall.
- A left-turn arrow will be installed at the intersection of the Island Highway and Comox Road but will not be in operation before May or June of 1979.

Parochialism hit as mayor quits

CUMBERLAND — Parochialism has been tabbed as one of the reasons for the resignation of Cumberland Mayor William Moncrief from the Comox-Strathcona Region Board.

Following the recent elections for board chairman and vice-chairman, both lost by Courtenay Mayor William Moore, Moncrief remarked that they "proved the best always lose."

He also maintained that if the chairman came from the north of the widespread district, the vice-chairman should come from the south.

Both new chairman Keith Hudson and vice-chairman Joan Stephens are from the northern end of the district.

Moncrief also said the directors were exhibiting a parochial attitude in turning down Moore, who has vast experience as an administrator and municipal elected official.

He claimed directors from electoral areas do not want a municipal official as chairman.

At the regular meeting of Cumberland council this week, Moncrief announced his decision to quit the regional board.

His place will be taken by Ald. Doug Baird, who has one year's experience as a municipal official.

Baird will also likely be appointed to the Cumberland Hospital Board.

Incumbent chairman is ousted in upset

COURTENAY — In an upset decision, director Keith Hudson has been elected chairman of the Comox-Strathcona Regional District Board.

Hudson, nominated by director Helma Kussar, was opposed by incumbent Norm Lysne, who was nominated by director Sam Hooley, and by director William Moore, who was nominated by director Max Solterman.

Hudson, with less than two years experience on the board, said he had formulated some ideas about communication which he would like implemented.

Lysne, on the other hand, said he already had two years of experience as board chairman and 11 years experience as a director.

He noted a low two-percent increase in the 1979 budget was due, in part, to his administration.

Moore based his comments on his experience in the municipal field with 15 years a mayor, seven as an alderman, five years as a city administrator as well as being a member of the Legislature for two terms.

He said regional government must be improved and quoted his favorite expression: "He is governed best who is governed least."

Lysne was dropped after the first ballot, leaving Moore and Hudson to battle out the election, won by Hudson in a nine-to-six vote.

Moore and Joan Stephens were nominated for the position of vice-chairman and the first two ballots resulted in a tie vote. Later Moore withdrew.

Nanaimo region sticks with experience

NANAIMO — New directors took their seats at the Nanaimo Region Board table this week, but when it came time to elect a chairman, directors chose to stick with the man who has served in that position for five years.

Paul Smith, director from French Creek, was re-elected to his sixth term as board chairman. He defeated Mrs. Gertrude Hall of Nanaimo for the top spot.

The vote was by secret ballo and no detailed results were given.

Mrs. Hall, a Nanaimo alderman, was unanimously named deputy chairman.

Directors from the city of nanaimo and Parksvill and Qualicum took their seats after being sworn in by New Westminster Provincial Court Judge Doug Greer.

Directors seated from the city of Nanaimo included Mrs. Hall, Nelson Allen, Ray Brookbank, Ada Howden, Jack Little and Alex Ferguson.

Little and Ferguson are newcomers to the regional board.

Appointed representatives of Parksville and Qualicum were Anton kruyt and Art Skipsey.

The board decided on three staff changes.

Appointed to the new position of social centre supervisor of Beban Park was Nanaimo resident Mrs. Ina Von Wistinghausen.

Appointed assistant secretary of the district was Gordon Summers. Peter Hoemberg will take Summers' spot as planning director.

The board ratified appointments to four advisory planning commissions, on the recommendations of directors of the areas involved.

Appointed to the Area H, Deep Bay, planning commission were Ed Leigh, Robert Oliphant, Helen Schofield, Morgan Myhres, Keith Wilson, Carrie Smith and Helen Windross, all of RR3, Qualicum, and Robert Roeniche of Bowser.

Coombs-Hilliers-Errington planning commission will contain three Coombs residents, Isaac Neden, Allan Empey and Robert Mawhinney.

Also on the commission are Laurel Ware of Errington; Willy Feuersenger, RR2 Qualicum; Dale Curtis and William Woodhouse, both of RR2 Parksville.

Appointed to the East Wellington-Pleasant Valley-Lantzville planning commission were John Robertson, David Hayden, Heinz Transhe, Bev Waugh, Michael David and Ron Doumont of Lantzville; Al Stewart of East Wellington, and Bob Jepson of Pleasant Valley.

Area G, Parksville-Qualicum, APC members are Allan Guy, Dick Greenwood, Cecil Fitzgerald, Norman Helland, Walter Hendricks and Herman Vanderbyl.

Gerry Van Horne will represent the town of parksville and Les Crotchlow the village of Qualicum Beach on that commission.

Protests disrupt test cricket

The final day of the second cricket test match between India and the West Indies was cancelled Wednesday because of violent protests here against former prime minister Indira Gandhi's arrest.

The match was poised interestingly when stumps were drawn Tuesday with the West Indies score at 200 for eight wickets, a lead of 266 runs.

M. Chinnaswamy, president of India's cricket control board, told reporters the step was taken on the advice of senior police officials in Bangalore, about 850 kilometres southeast of Bombay.

The third test will be played at Calcutta, starting Dec. 29.

Scores: West Indies 437 and 200 for eight wickets; India 371.

Meanwhile, Australia capitulated meekly and lost the second test to England by 166 runs Wednesday at Perth, giving England a 2-0 lead in The Ashes series.

In a dismal display of undisciplined batting, the last six wickets crashed for 20 runs in the space of only 66 deliveries.

The mopping up was done by left hander John Lever and off spinner Geoff Miller.

During the late collapse Lever took three for eleven off 24 balls and Miller three for none off 23 deliveries.

Scores: England 309 and 208; Australia 190 and 161.

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Bay Meadows results, entries

SAN MATEO, Calif. — Results of thoroughbred racing Wednesday at Bay Meadows and entries for today:

FIRST RACE
Swims Wallet (Hamilton) $50.40 $20.60 $13.30
Conferee (Colaneri) 18.40 10.40
Fast Gambler (Winick) 4.80
Time: 1:13 3/5
Scratched — Native Pierre, Bold Hippus, Sonnys Serenade, George Francis.

SECOND RACE
Citrus Clover (Yaka) $28.40 $10.00 $7.00
Rhythm Queen (Gonzalez) 6.80 4.20
Jessie Time (Frazier) 9.00
Time: 1:13 2/5
Daily Double (6-3) Paid $419.00
Scratched —Splendid Life, Kady Hardy, Really a Dancer, Carousel Melody.

THIRD RACE
Check for Two (McHargue) $10.40 $7.80 $5.20
Upper Edge (Murphy) 24.20 14.00
Patrician Reign (Gonzalez) 12.20
Time: 1:11 4/5
$5 Exacta (1-12) Paid $1,167.50
Scratched — Rising Rey, Topum, Light of Praise, Jays Late Date.

FOURTH RACE
Angels Sister (McHargue) $7.00 $4.20 $3.60
Ali Time (Mahorney) 5.40 4.00
Borrego Born (Seeley) 12.80
Time: 1:14
Scratched— Yom Tov, Doxie Lady, Ansgars Minute, Miss Windsong.

FIFTH RACE
Hoisty Can Fly (Aguirre) $23.80 $11.40 $8.00
Moonlight Cocktail (Mahorney) 9.60 6.20
Hard Hearted Hanna (Haversack) 6.00
Time: 1:12 2/5
$5 Exacta (3-7) Paid $717.00
Scratched — Cherry Isaqueen, Fun Ball, Cute Girl.

SIXTH RACE
Color Flag (Colaneri) $14.60 $6.60 $3.20
Nanettes Walker (Yaka) 9.60 4.60
Full Trouble (McHargue) 2.80
Time: 1:13.

SEVENTH RACE
Biava (McHargue) $3.60 $2.80 $2.60
Delta Ree (Diaz) 7.00 5.20
Rapunzel (Munoz) 3.20
Time: 1:11
$5 Exacta (9-6) Paid $99.50.

EIGHTH RACE
Elizabeth T (Caballero) $13.40 $6.80 $4.20
Fleet of All (Munoz) 9.80 6.60
Winter Sentiments (Colaneri) 6.20
Time: 1:45.

NINTH RACE
Stakes Ever (Munoz) $8.60 $4.80 $4.00
Hee Hooley (Leonard) 10.60 7.40
Cango Quick (Ochoa) 5.40
Time: 2:07 3/5
$5 Exacta (6-1) Paid $214.00
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Entries

FIRST RACE—$4,000 clmg 3&4 yo MF 6 fur
Victorious Dream (Colaneri) 118
Skyroom (Aguirre) 118
Falcon Annie (Ortega) 118
True Waltz (Schacht) 118
Angela Labardi (Olguin) 118
Howd I Dolf (Hamilton) 118
Parker Table (Gonzalez) 118
Bright Falcon (Ochoa) 118
Heres Goldie (Mahorney) 118
Highbrella (Volzke) 118
Broad Molly (Galarsa) 118
Timely Sea (Jin) 118
Paddy Cake (Munoz) 118
Roan Imp (Wilburn) 118
Banners Rally (Sanchez) 118
Michelle Robin (Ramirez) 118

SECOND RACE—$7,000 clmg 2 yo 6 fur
Chris Commander (McHargue) 117
Eye the Tiger (Hamilton) 112
Vain Strider (Youngren) 114
x Mighty Fella (Auten) 109
Quote Me Anytime (Mercado) 114
x BTs Hope (Haversack) 109
Chief Escort (Cuthbertson) 114
Northern Royal (Colaneri) 114
Midtown (Diaz) 112
Don Gabrielle (Munoz) 114
Canim Clipper (Galarsa) 114
Brokers Meeting (Gonzalez) 114
x Bens Frank (Auten) 109
Gleaming Silver (Gonzalez) 114
Mazik (Volzke) 114

THIRD RACE—$3,500 clmg 3&up 1 1/16 mi
Very Windy (Gonzalez) 114
Cadaver (Caballero) 111
Kid Konfidence (Diaz) 114
x Agent Provocateur (Arnold) 109
Hungry (Volzke) 114
Four Spades 2D (Munoz) 114
Nice Hound (Baze) 114
Did It Alone (York) 114
x Jodi Me (Auten) 106
Sail Back (Yaka) 114
Rio Omav (Cuthbertson) 117
Mister Rivet (Cuthbertson) 114
Asuncion (Hamilton) 114
Eds Ahead (Yaka) 117
Game Steel (Burkes) 114
x Malarkey Jim (Auten) 109

FOURTH RACE—$4,000 clmg 2 yo M 6 fur
Town Talker (Galarsa) 118
Pappys Treat (Diaz) 118
High Suit (Mercado) 118
x Hookit (Auten) 113
Lotte (Schacht) 114
Meloholme (Gonzalez) 118
Lady Lets Go (Resendiz) 115
Doxie Lady (Youngren) 115
x Bobbys Beem (Haversack) 113
Whirling Jim (Felton) 118
Lousy Daddy (Casteneda) 115
Yom Tov (Sherman) 115
Orourke (Munoz) 118
Ansgars Minute (Cuthbertson) 115
MacArthurs Prince (Mahorney) 118
x Domineerings Pride (Auten) 113

FIFTH RACE—$6,000 clmg 3&up 1 1/16 mi
Hyper Hippie (No Boy) 111
Mary Said No (Galarsa) 111
Wonden Bred (White) 111
Take a Bride (Leonard) 114
Nasdaq (Diaz) 117
Middle Ages (Baze) 114
Young Kinglet (Burkes) 114
Foguero (Cuthbertson) 117
Streakin It (Frazier) 114
Aclamado (Gonzalez) 114
River Lad (Hamilton) 114
Forward Sun (Castaneda) 114
Sea Sick Joe (White) 114
Marvelous Marsh (Castaneda) 114a
Stretch Call (Diaz) 114
High N Happy (Winick) 114

SIXTH RACE—$11,000 alw 3&up 1 1/16 mi
a Tilt the Balance (Yaka) 111
b Malhumor 2D (Wilburn) 114
Guavo (Moreno) 119
Disguised Star (Campas) 111
Fame International (Volzke) 114
Pee Wee Painter (Diaz)) 114
Bouncing Dave (Castaneda) 117
b Jefe Indio (Wilburn) 114
Bold Combate (Colaneri) 114
a Dynolite (Frazier) 111
Mr Irv M (McHargue) 114
Fuffinality (No Boy) 111
A—Entry, B—Entry

SEVENTH RACE—$7,000 clmg 3 yo 6 fur
a Just Tuckin (Caballero) 114
Cogitation (Seeley) 114
Merry Mac (Yaka) 114
Smilen Agent (Moreno) 114
Import Wine (Gonzalez) 114
Hoot Will (Galarsa) 114
Winnings Flank (McHargue) 114
Cool Frenchy (Sanchez) 114
Bronze Idol (Diaz) 114
x Cady Mae (Sanchez) 106
Fine Romance (Munoz) 114
Irish Trooper (Mahorney) 114
Sonnys Hoot (Sanchez) 114
Count N Quarters (Munoz) 114
a Go Going Gone (Ochoa) 114
x Tais Question (Casella) 107
A—Entry

EIGHTH RACE—$11,000 alw 3&up 6 fur
Winners Preferred (Burkes) 115
Grey Moon Runner (York) 122
A Lock (Gonzalez) 114
x Call Martini (Haversack) 109
Crafty Native (Castaneda) 114
x Grand Slam (Sanchez) 107
Gaitor Ratten (Cuthbertson) 117
Neat Claim (McHargue) 114

NINTH RACE—$6,000 alw 3&up 1¼ mi
Mix N Mince (Baze) 119
Honeys Hope (Galarsa) 114
Brothers Game (Murphy) 112
x Bellicus (Haversack) 104
Spirit Gum (Burkes) 114
Mr Charm (Diaz) 114
Saldano (Gonzalez) 114
Donetz (Caballero) 114
Skolis Noche (Colaneri) 109
x Cut Spending (Auten) 107
Waterbury Lane (Munoz) 114
Captain Jim (Volzke) 114
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TOMORROW			
10:40	4:55	11:05	5:15

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Major periods, fasting 1½ to 2 hours are shown in bold.

Hoopster dies

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Staubach leads passers; rookie tops NFL rushers

NEW YORK (AP) — Roger Staubach of Dallas nosed out Pittsburgh's Terry Bradshaw as the National Football League's passing leader in 1978, while rookie Earl Campbell of Houston and Rickey Young of Minnesota were easy winners in rushing and receiving.

NFL statistics released Wednesday showed Staubach edged Bradshaw 84.9 to 84.8 points in the complex system by which the league rates its passers. San Diego's Dan Fouts was third at 83.2.

The final statistical leaders:

Rushing

	C	Yds	Avg	TD
Campbell, Hou	302	1450	4.8	13
Payton, Chi	333	1395	4.2	11
Dorsett, Dal	290	1325	4.6	7
Williams, Mia	272	1258	4.6	8
Montgomery, Pha	259	1220	4.7	9
Middleton, GB	284	1116	3.9	11
Harris, Pit	310	1082	3.5	8
van Eeghen, Oak	270	1080	4.0	9
Miller, Buf	238	1060	4.5	7
Reed, KC	206	1053	5.1	5
Riggins, Wash	248	1014	4.1	5

Passing

	A	C	Yds	Avg	TD
Staubach, Dal	413	231	3,190	7.72	25
Bradshaw, Pit	368	207	2,915	7.92	28
Fouts, SD	381	224	2,999	7.87	24
Griese, Mia	235	148	1,791	7.62	11
Manning, NO	471	291	3,416	7.25	17
Sipe, Cle	399	222	2,906	7.28	21
Morton, Den	267	146	1,802	6.75	11
Danielson, Det	351	199	2,294	6.54	18
Zorn, Sea	443	248	3,283	7.41	15
Ferguson, Buf	330	175	2,136	6.47	16

Receiving

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD
Young, Min	88	704	8.0	5
Galbreath, NO	74	582	7.9	2
Largent, Sea	71	1168	16.5	8
Rashad, Min	66	769	11.7	8
Tilley, SL	62	900	14.5	3
Casper, Oak	62	852	13.7	9
Swann, Pit	61	880	14.4	11
Foreman, Min	61	396	6.5	2
Mitchell, SD	57	500	8.8	2
Jefferson, SD	56	1001	17.9	13

Punting

	No.	Yds	Avg
McInally, Cin	91	3919	43.1
Guy, Oak	81	3462	42.7
Skladany, Det	86	3654	42.5
Jennings, NYG	95	3995	42.1
Blanchard, NO	84	3532	42.0

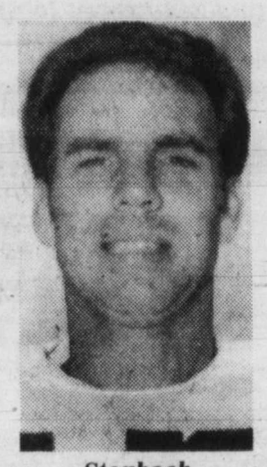
Punt Returns

	No.	Yds	Avg
Upchurch, Den	36	493	13.7
Harper, NYJ	30	378	12.6
Moody, Buf	19	240	12.6
Wallace, LA	52	618	11.9
Payton, KC	32	364	11.4

Kickoff Returns

	No.	Yds	Avg
Odom, GB	25	677	27.1
Pearson, Atl	25	662	26.5
Wright, Cle	30	789	26.3
Washington, Bal	19	499	26.3
Owens, SD	20	524	26.2

Staubach completed 55 percent of his passes (231 of 413) for 3,190 yards and 25 touchdowns, while Bradshaw hit 56.3 percent (207 of 368) for 2,915 yards and a league-high 28 TDs.



Staubach

Miami's Bob Griese was the most accurate, with a 63 percent completion rate; Ken Stabler of Oakland threw the most interceptions, 30, and Fran Tarkenton of Minnesota threw for the most yards, 3,468.

Campbell, the 1977 Heisman Trophy winner from the University of Texas, led the Oilers into the playoffs with his 1,450 yards rushing, 55 more than runner-up Walter Payton of Chicago, last year's NFL rushing champ when he gained 1,852.

Young, obtained by the Vikings from San Diego before the start of the season, caught 88 passes, 14 more than runner-up Tony Galbreath of New Orleans.

Rookie Frank Corral of Los Angeles Rams was the NFL scoring leader with 118 points on 31 conversions and 29 field goals, while running back David Sims of Seattle was the top scorer among non-kickers with 90 points on 15 touchdowns.

Let George do it? No way—Giants

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — George Allen wants the Giants, but the Giants don't want George Allen. The Giants want Joe Paterno, but it looks like Joe Paterno doesn't want the Giants.

After Monday's house cleaning that left New York Giants without a coach and general manager, an impressive list began lining up to fill the jobs created by coach John McVay's firing and director of operations Andy Robustelli's resignation.

Allen, late of Washington Redskins and Los Angeles Rams, expressed immediate interest in filling both jobs. But Allen can forget it. There's no way way Wellington Mara would hire him.

Allen has long been one of Mara's least favorite people. The Redskins ran up the score on the Giants quite a few times, Allen has often had a shaky relationship with the media, qualities hardly endearing to the image-conscious Mara family.

Despite his open campaigning for the job, Allen doesn't have a shot for the same reasons Carroll Rosenbloom was willing to swallow the coach's huge contract with Los Angeles Rams. Allen wants full and complete control, which is not an easy thing for any NFL owner to give.

Sources on the team chuckle when Allen's name is mentioned. "That's nice," was the reaction of one Giant official when he was told of Allen's interest. Another said it was absurd that Allen would be offered the job.

But Paterno is a different story. Although Mara indicated he would rather hire two men for the two jobs, he would make an exception for Paterno. But the Penn State coach is enamored with the collegiate atmosphere and has indicated he has no desire to coach in the pros.

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By way of a preview to the national oldtimers' tournament here Jan. 27-29, four local teams entered in the tournament will play two exhibitions at the Esquimalt Sports Centre Friday night.

Esquimalt Merchants Oldtimers challenge Saanich Warriors in the opener at 7:45 p.m. while Victoria Coulter-Grolle tangles with Victoria Athletics Oldtimers in the nightcap at 9:15 p.m.

Munsey to Vikes

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Cornerback Nelson Munsey has been signed by Minnesota Vikings to replace Nate Wright, who suffered a broken arm Sunday in the team's last game of the National Football League schedule against Oakland. Munsey, a seven-year NFL veteran, was released by Baltimore Colts early this year.

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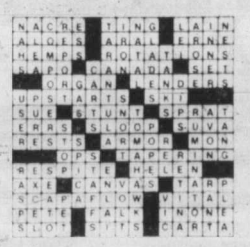

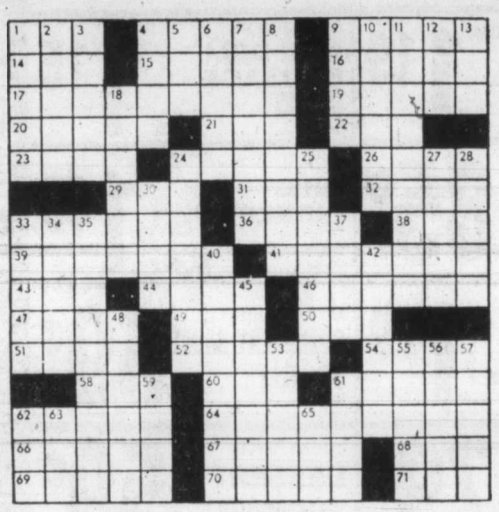

Soviets drop cameras onto Venus

MOSCOW (UPI)—A Soviet spacecraft flew into the outer fringes of Venus Tuesday, split in two and dropped a package of TV cameras and other scientific equipment onto the hot, cloud-covered planet.

Moscow Radio reported the Venera-12, one of two unmanned spacecraft launched by the Soviet Union in September, had arrived and separated into two parts.

The radio report made no mention of Venera-11, another Venus probe launched Sept. 9.

The Soviet Venera-12 spaceship, which had been launched Sept. 14, arrived two weeks after the arrival of two U.S. Venus spacecraft.

Unlike the American spacecraft, which sent four smaller probes crashing onto the Venusian surface, each Soviet spacecraft was programmed to separate into two parts.

One of the parts, carrying television cameras and other scientific equipment, was due to make a soft landing on the surface of Venus, and the other half was programmed to fly past the planet deeper into space.

The Soviet Union has successfully soft-landed scientific equipment on Venus in the past.

The Soviet and U.S. missions were planned separately, but arrived at Venus at roughly the same time because the two planets are closer to each other than usual.

On its way to Earth's nearest planet neighbor, the Soviet spacecraft had already studied the characteristics of solar wind, cosmic rays, ultraviolet and x-ray radiation and gamma rays.

After separating into two parts, the fly-by portion passed within 24,000 miles of the planet. It will serve as a reflector to bounce back radio signals from the landing probe.

The Soviet Union launched its first probe—Venus 1—toward Earth's sister planet in 1961. Five years later, Soviet scientists crashed two spacecraft into Venus' surface in the first succesful flight to a planet outside Earth.

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Canadian studies a 'must'

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The requirement says all future arts students must have a full credit in Canadian studies from an approved list before graduating.

The petition asked the senate to reject the requirement at this time "because of the controversial nature of the proposal, as exemplified by the discord at every stage of its movement through the various bodies of arts faculty."

University President Burt Mathews told the senate a decision should be made now because the deadline for next year's calendar, which outlines the university's programs, would have passed by the next senate meeting.

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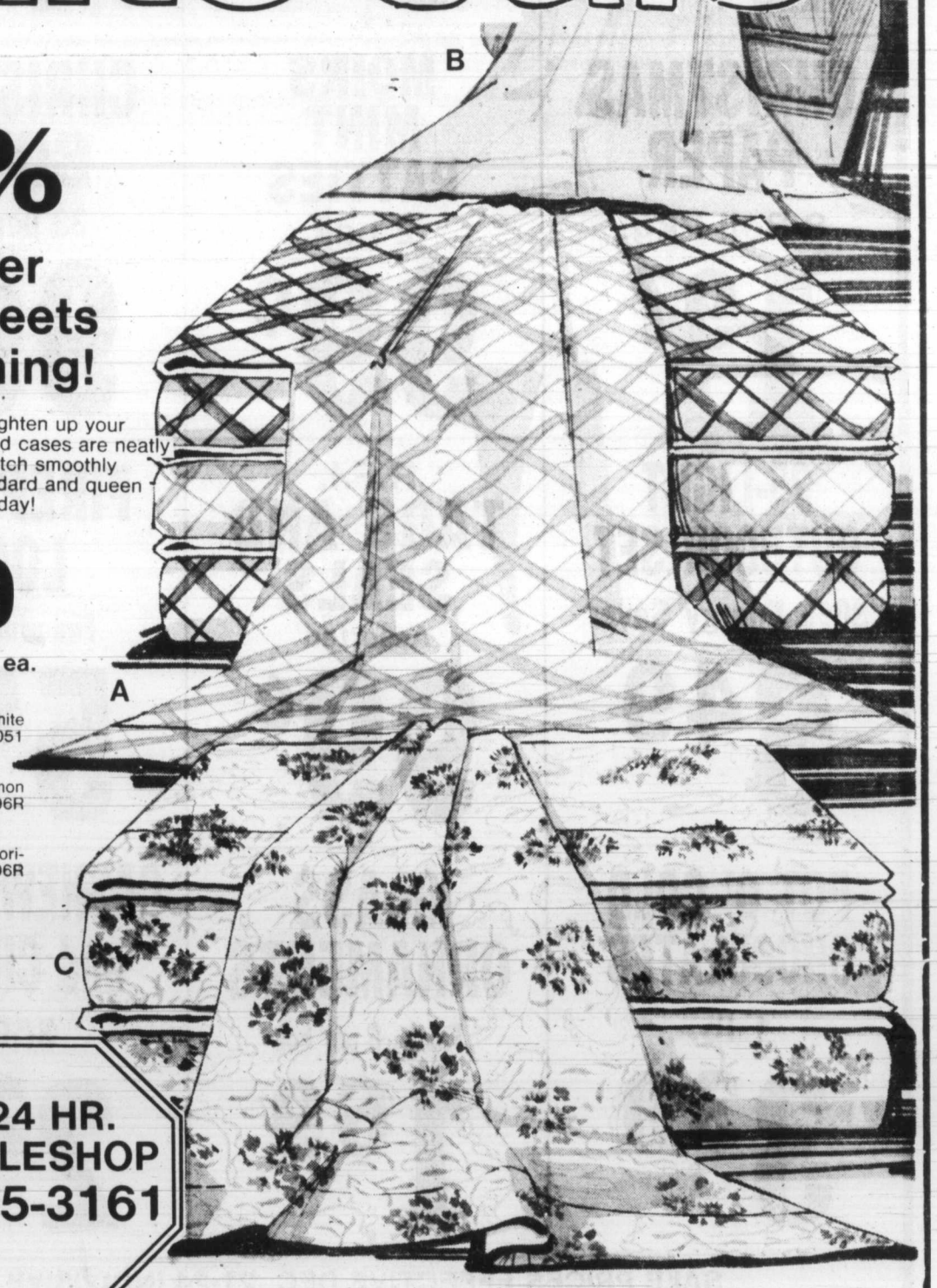

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Deaths and funerals

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BRITT — Stanley A., peacefully at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 19th, 1978. Born in Medicine Hat, Alberta, Dec. 8, 1916. Survived by his loving wife, Edith and children, Marilyn and Don Walmsley, of Boston Bar, Diane and Laurie Cook, of Victoria; Ian and Celia Britt of Vancouver and 8 grandchildren. Stan was past Lieutenant-Governor and Honourary member of Victoria Kiwanis Club, Division 17. He was also the current International Vice-President of Sales and Marketing Executives International as well as an active member of the Masonic Order of AF & AM, Signet Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Western Gate Preceptory and Gizah Temple Shrine.

Funeral service in Metropolitan United Church, Quadra and Pandora, on Friday, Dec. 22 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating, assisted by the Very Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean, followed by cremation. (No flower by request. Donations, if desired, may be made to the charity of one's choice.) McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

COLEMAN — In Victoria, B.C. on December 17, 1978, Baby Sandra Louise Coleman, aged two months, 15 days, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Coleman, of 3239 Glasgow Ave. Besides her loving parents, she leaves her brother, Sean, at home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chalkley and Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Coleman and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Phillips and Mr. A.J. Coleman, all of Victoria, B.C.; aunts, uncles and cousins. Predeceased by her twin sister, Baby Suzanne Carol Coleman on December 3, 1978.

Service in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Family Chapel of Memories" on Thursday, December 21, 1978. Rev. John A. Watson officiating. Cremation.

SANDS — VICTORIA

JEEVES- Frank Leslie, born March 12, 1908, died Dec. 19, 1978 in Burnaby General Hospital. A member of a Pioneer Victoria family. Retired as R.C.M.P. Inspector in Burnaby, B.C. Inspector Jeeves spent entire career of 35 years in postings in B.C. Early education took place at North Ward School and Victoria High. He is survived by his loving wife Doris in Burnaby, four sons and their families; Ron in Nanaimo, Bryon and Gary in Victoria and Bob in Vancouver, 9 grandchildren.

Funeral to be held at Mount Pleasant Chapel, 306 E. 11th St., Vancouver, B.C. on Thurs. Dec. 21, 1978, at 2 p.m.

JOHNS — Peacefully on December 18, 1978 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Dr. Thomas Henry (Harry) Johns. He was born in Victoria in 1903, the son of Victoria pioneer, Albion Johns. He graduated from McGill Dental School in 1925, practising in Victoria for nearly 50 years. He was past president of the Victoria and District Dental Society and the International College of Dentists and was a member of the College of Dental Surgeons and the Xi Psi Phi Fraternity and was active, for many years, in Church and musical organizations in the city. Predeceased by his beloved wife, Thelma, on November 27, 1978, he is survived by a son, Larry, of Victoria; a daughter, Linda, of Vancouver, and their families; a brother, A. Wilfrid Johns of Victoria; nieces and nephews.

Memorial service in Metropolitan United Church, Quadra and Pandora, on Thursday, Dec. 21 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating. Cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the charity of one's choice). McCall Bros. Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

LAW — Suddenly on December 18, 1978, Mei Yin Law of 3124 Paisley Road, North Vancouver. Survived by her family, parents Mr. and Mrs. Chi Mon Law, Hong Kong, eight brothers and sisters in Hong Kong and one brother Chan Kwan-Law, Victoria.

Memorial Mass will be Celebrated Saturday December 23, at 2:00 p.m. in St. John's Anglican Church, Quadra and Mason. Rev. W. C. Tan Celebrant. Cremation. Arrangements through First Memorial Services Ltd.

LEITH — On December 17, 1978, after a lengthy illness, Mrs. Mary Leith, aged 93, a long time resident of Victoria. Predeceased by her husband, William (Bill) Leith in 1946. She is survived by her loving son George and daughter-in-law, Margaret; daughter, Dr. Mary Patricia Leith, and sister, Margaret Rennie, all of Victoria. Also by her grandson William (Bill) Leith of Toronto and granddaughter, Mrs. Doreen Jolliff of Vancouver; nieces and nephews in Eastern Canada, United States and Scotland.

Funeral service was held in the FAMILY CHAPEL of McCall Bros. on Wed., Dec. 20 at 3:15 p.m., with the Rev. P. Ross officiating, followed by cremation.

McKEACHIE — In Victoria, in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on December 18, 1978, Jeanie G. McKeachie in her 94th year, born in Ayrshire, Scotland and resident in Victoria since 1912. Widow of Alex McKeachie who predeceased her, November 9, 1962 and also predeceased by her son, Ian Young McKeachie in 1965 and a grandson, Gregory James McKeachie, Oct. 1972. She leaves 3 sons and daughters-in-law, Alexander G. and Edith of Nanaimo; Thomas S. and Joyce of Victoria and James G. and Joyce of West Vancouver; daughter and son-in-law, Mary and William E. Walker of Victoria; daughter-in-law Peggy McKeachie (Mrs. Ian McKeachie); 17 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; sister, Mrs. Edith Curr of Cumbria, England; sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Young of Thetford, Norfolk, England; nieces and nephews in England and Scotland. She was an ardent church worker with the W. A. of First United Church for many years and was active in Lawn Bowling circles.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Thursday, Dec. 21 at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. H. Hunter officiating, followed by cremation. (In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.).

MORGAN — In Victoria on December 19, 1978, Dr. Henry Vernon Morgan, aged 76 years, of 3981 Smuggler's Cove Rd., Victoria, born in Kenora, Ontario and resident here for 12 years, formerly of Calgary where he was the President of Calgary Associates Clinic for many years. He is survived by his loving wife, Mary Anna Muriel; two daughters, Mrs. Margaret A. Johnson of Winnipeg and Mrs. Mary Stevenson of Sangudo, Alberta; Six grandchildren; one brother and one sister.

The service will be held in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Wednesday, December 27 at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. H. Hunter officiating, followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Cancer Fund, 857 Caledonia Ave.).

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305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

MUSSICK — On December 19, 1978, at the Victoria General Hospital, Muriel Edna Mussick, in her 71st year, of 305-1040 Rockland Avenue, born in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, and a resident of Victoria since 1921. She is survived by her loving husband Frank, at the residence; one daughter, Mrs. E. C. (Maxine) Owens of Victoria; three grandchildren, Ross, Barry and Diane; one great-grandchild, Shauna; two sisters, Mrs. P. G. (Lillian) McCarthy and Mrs. Phyllis Shepherd of Victoria; numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Thursday, December 21, at 10:30 a.m., followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined.)

PAYNE — Suddenly in hospital on December 16, 1978, Mr. Ernest John Payne, age 76 years. Born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, a resident of Langford, B.C., for the past 30 years, residing at 3126 Lynnlark Place. He leaves his loving wife, Agnes, at the residence; brother, Wilbert Payne, Nanaimo, B.C.; sister, Mrs. Mabel Richards, Sooke, B.C.; nieces and nephews.

Service in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Heather, Colwood, B.C., on Friday, December 22, 1978, at 1:00 p.m. Interment in Hatley Memorial Gardens. Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring may contribute to the B.C. Heart Foundation, 1008 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C.

SANDS — COLWOOD

PEEKE-VOUT — On December 18, 1978, Kitty Esther Peeke-Vout of Brentwood. Survived by one son Barry, Victoria, one daughter Lynda, Saanichton, two grandsons; one brother, Jack Henton, Birnie, Manitoba; two sisters, Lucy Ennis, Neepawa, Manitoba and Nellie Thom, Swift Current Saskatchewan.

Private family Cremation was held. In lieu of flowers donations to the Canadian Diabetic Association would be appreciated. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C. and First Memorial Services Ltd.

PREDDY — In Victoria on December 20, 1978, Iris Gloria Preddy, born in England and resident here for seven years. Widow of Frank L. Preddy, she is survived by two sons, Steve of Burnaby and Andrew of Tsawwassen; five grandchildren; also her mother, Mrs. J. Kemp of Oak Bay.

Funeral service on Friday, December 22 at 1:30 p.m. in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., with the Ven. Arch. H.J. Jones officiating, followed by cremation (No flowers by request).

RAI — On December 20, 1978, at Gorge Road Hospital, Mrs. Harnam Kour Rai, aged 77 years, born in the province of Punjab, India. Predeceased by her husband Labh in 1965, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Harvant Sanghe and Miss Hardal Rai of Victoria; six sons, Rhutan, Scotty, Harry, Davary and Tara, all of Port Alberni and Garry of Victoria; 21 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Friday, December 22 at 12:00 noon, followed by cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Heart Fund, 1008 Blanshard St.).

REYNOLDS — In Victoria at Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 19, 1978, Mr. Charles B. Reynolds aged 72 years, late of 1025 Linden Ave. Mr. Reynolds was born in England and came to Canada in 1924. A resident of Victoria for the last 10 years. Survived by his loving wife Martha; 2 daughters, Mrs. S. (Joan) Krestinsky of Kamloops, B.C. and Capt. and Mrs. E. P. (Ann) Riley of Winnipeg, Man.; 6 granddaughters; 2 great grandchildren and 2 sisters in England.

Private family funeral service will be held Friday, December 22, at 2 p.m. in CUNNINGHAM FUNERAL CHAPEL with Rev. F. W. Hayes officiating, followed by interment in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

THOMSON—Suddenly Dec. 14, 1978, Hugh Wallace Thomson, age 54. Born in Scotland, a resident of Victoria since 1926. He leaves to mourn a brother James of Victoria, sisters Mrs. Terence (Myra) Whitley, Victoria, Mrs. Andrew (Margaret) Johnstone, Saanichton, B.C. Also nieces and nephews. Hugh as a boy was a member of the Rainbow Sea Cadet Bugle Band, and the Fifth B.C. Trumpet Band (Militia). He served in the Second World War Overseas. He was employed at Arbutus Craft of Victoria til his death. Private Cremation by First Memorial Services.

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Vera, Bill and Malcolm Blann

WE WISH TO EXTEND OUR sincere thanks for and appreciation of, the cards, and kind messages of sympathy, sent to us at the loss of our husband and father, Mark Harry Hendley. Special thanks to R.C.L. Britannia Branch No. 7, also to Archdeacon Hendy for his kind words.
Jessie Hendley and family

MRS. GERTRUDE MINNIE and family wish to take this opportunity to thank all their relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness in the loss of a loving husband and father. Also thanks to Dr. Gows, Dr. Hefferman, Dr. Rain, and Dr. McKenzie. Thank you very much.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CREIGHTON ARMSTRONG, Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Creighton Armstrong, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1978 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.

ROBERT KEITH BRYDEN,
Executor
Matthews, Bryden & Dalton,
Barristers and Solicitors,
202-1207 Douglas Street,
P.O. Box 1026,
Victoria, B.C.
V8W 2S6

TENDERS FOR TABLETS ROYAL OAK BURIAL PARK

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to Mr. L. Treloar, Manager, Royal Oak Burial Park, 4673 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1B4, and marked "TENDERS FOR TABLETS" will be accepted up to and including 12 o'clock noon, January 15th, 1979 for the supply of marble and/or bronze urn tablets on a one-year contract commencing February 1st, 1979, terminating January 31st, 1980. Full particulars as to design and quality of material may be obtained from Mr. Treloar at address above. Applicants should be prepared to provide a sample tablet if requested.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. TRELOAR,
Secretary-Treasurer
Board of Cemetery Trustees
of Greater Victoria

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of NORAH ELIZABETH BAYFIELD, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Norah Elizabeth Bayfield, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1979 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.

ROBERT KEITH BRYDEN
Executor
Matthews, Bryden & Dalton,
Barristers and Solicitors,
202-1207 Douglas Street,
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Victoria, B.C.
V8W 2S6

TENDERS FOR GAS AND OIL ROYAL OAK BURIAL PARK

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to Mr. L. Treloar, Manager, Royal Oak Burial Park, 4673 Falaise Drive, Victoria, B.C. V8Y 1B4, marked "TENDER FOR GAS AND/OR OIL" will be accepted up to and including 12 o'clock noon Monday, January 15th, 1979 for a one-year supply commencing February 1st, 1979 and terminating January 31st, 1980 or 35,000 gallons (more or less) of furnace oil delivered as required to a 1000 gallon tank at the Royal Oak Crematorium and/or 3,000 gallons (more or less) of marked regular gasoline delivered to a 200 gallon tank at the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Tenders submitted for both products will be considered separately unless otherwise indicated.

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L. TRELOAR,
Secretary-Treasurer
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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

FORM No. 1 LAND ACT NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A DISPOSITION OF CROWN LAND

In Land Recording District of Lot 19 of Lot 21 except Parcel A DD5781-W and situated Plan 14684 Long Harbour, Salt Spring Island.

Take notice that E. Joy Newton of Sidney, B.C. intends to apply for a Foreshore Lease of the following described lands: Unsurveyed portion of foreshore within Lot 247 Cowichan District, situated in Long Harbour

The purpose for which the disposition is required is Private Dock

Ellen Joy Newton

Dated Dec 7, 1978.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Director of Vital Statistics for a change of name, pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by me: Suno Gab Ha of 18-132 Menzies St., in Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows:—

My wife's name from Suno Ho Ha to Anne Jun Ha.

My minor unmarried child's name from Suk-Jin Ha to John Suk Jin Ha.

Dated this 18th day of December, A.D. 1978.

Suno Gab Ha

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the director of Vital Statistics for a change of name, pursuant to the provisions of the "Change of Name Act," by me: Elmer Wayne Ahola, of 2388 Alpine Crescent in Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows: To change my name from Elmer Wayne Ahola to Curt Varnel, my wife's name from Sharen Ahola to Sharole Varnel, my minor unmarried child's name from Ronald William Wayne Ahola to Curt Varnel.

Dated this 11th day of December, A.D. 1978.

Wayne Elmer Ahola

DEFENCE CONSTRUCTION (1951) LIMITED

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File: CK 897 10

SEALED TENDERS, marked as to content, addressed to the undersigned must be received not later than 3:00 p.m. EST, FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1979.

Plans, specifications and tender forms will be available for viewing at Construction Associations at Vancouver, Victoria, Kamloops, and DCL Vancouver Branch Office.

Tender Documents may be obtained by Prime Contractors only from DCL Plans Section, Ottawa, at the address below on deposit of $100.00 payable to Defence Construction (1951) Limited. (For Tender Documents call (613) — 998-9549 or telex 053-4231).

Security deposits, if called for in the Tender Documents, must accompany tenders.

W. J. Mulock, Secretary
Defence Construction
(1951) Limited,
Billings Bridge Plaza,
12th Floor, SBI Bldg.,
2323 Riverside Drive,
Ottawa, Ontario.
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ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL PLANT SERVICES CALL FOR TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS for the modification to the air conditioning system of the Radiology Department, Royal Jubilee Hospital, will be received by the undersigned up to 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, January 10, 1979.

Drawings, specifications and tender documents may be obtained at the office of The Director of Plant Services, Royal Jubilee Hospital, 1900 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., V8R 1J8. A returnable deposit of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) is required for each set.

Bidding documents may be viewed at the Amalgamated Construction Association of Victoria, 1075 Alston St., Victoria, B.C. Tenders must be made out on the form supplied, addressed and delivered to the undersigned not later than 3:00 P.M. January 10, 1979.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. HUGHES,
Director of
Plant Services,
Royal Jubilee Hospital,
1900 Fort Street
Victoria, B.C. V8R 1J8
Telephone: 595-9363

ADVANCE NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that at the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Vanalta Resources Ltd. to be held in the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta in the head offices of the Company, #1000, 610-8 Avenue S.W. at the hour of Eleven (11) o'clock A.M. Mountain Standard Time on Friday the Twenty-third (23rd) day of February 1979 an election of Directors of the Company will be held.

The Company hereby invites nominations for Directors. Each nomination is to be signed by members of the Company holding in the aggregate not less than Ten percent (10%) of those shares having the right to vote at the Annual General Meeting.

TAKE NOTICE that if any nomination is delivered to the registered office of the Company not less than Thirty-five (35) days before the date of the Annual General Meeting, accompanied by the information as to nominee required to be furnished in the Information Circular of the Company, the Company will include the name of the nominee in the Form of Proxy and the informaton as to the nominee in the Information Circular sent by the management of the Company pursuant to Sections 176 and 177 of the Companies Act for the Province of British Columbia.

The address of the registered office of Vanalta Resources Ltd. is the following:

#1700, 777 Hornby Street,
Vancouver,
British Columbia,
V6Z 1T5

A person may be disqualified from becoming or acting as a Director of the Company by section 137 of the Companies Act; and further the Articles of the Company provides that a Director is not qualified to hold office if:

a) He becomes bankrupt, or;
b) He is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.

DATED at the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta this 14th day of December 1978.

VANALTA RESOURCES
LTD.
Per: LARRY S. HEALD,
Secretary

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HARRIET SUSANNA OLIVER, formerly of 336 Simcoe Street, in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are hereby required to send them to the Executrix, c/o Pearlman & Lindholm, P.O. Box 1327, Victoria, B.C., V8W 2W6, on or before the 20th day of January, 1979, after which date the Executrix will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she then has notice.

ANNA F. WOOTTON
Executrix
By her Solicitors,
Messrs. Pearlman & Lindholm
Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE TO SHIPYARDS

British Columbia Ferry Corporation requests tenders for Construction of Passenger-Car Ferries Numbers 18 and 19

The British Columbia Ferry Corporation invites Tenders from Shipyards interested in the construction of Two 457 Ft. Long Passenger-Car Ferries.

Plans and Specifications are now available upon request from The Operations Manager, British Columbia Ferry Corporation, 818 Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C., V8W 1E4

Sealed Tenders are to be received for public opening 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 16, 1979, in the Office of The General Manager and Chief Executive Officer at the above address.

ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL PLANT SERVICES CALL FOR TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS for the Supply and Installation of a new Package Chiller, Cooling Tower and Chilled Waterpump for the Royal Jubilee Hospital will be received by the undersigned up to 3:00 P.M. Wednesday, January 10, 1979.

Drawings, specification and tender documents may be obtained at the office of The Director of Plant Services, Royal Jubilee Hospital, 1900 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., V8R 1J8. A returnable deposit of twenty five dollars ($25.00) is required for each set.

Bidding documents may be viewed at the Amalgamated Construction Association of Victoria, 1075 Alston St., Victoria, B.C. Tenders must be made out on the form supplied, addressed and delivered to the undersigned not later than 3:00 P.M. January 10, 1979.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

D. W. Hughes,
Director of Plant
Services,
Royal Jubilee Hospital,
1900 Fort Street,
Victoria, B.C. V8R 1J8
Telephone: 595-9363

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

Re the estate of LILLIAN POWELL also known as LILIAN POWELL, Deceased, late of 202, 905 Burdett Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the deceased are hereby required to send them in to the undersigned executrix in care of her solicitors, Messrs. Cardinal, Edgar and Emberton, 760 Hillside Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia before January 20th, 1979 after which date the executrix will distribute the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has then notice.

DOROTHY CHARPENTIER,
Executrix
By her solicitors
Messrs. Cardinal,
Edgar & Emberton

ADVANCE NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

TAKE NOTICE that at the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of Canadian Hidrogas Resources Ltd. to be held in the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta in the head office of the Company, #1000, 610-8th Avenue S.W., at the hour of Ten (10) o'clock A.M. Mountain Standard Time on Friday the Twenty-third (23rd) day of February 1979 an election of Directors of this Company will be held.

The Company hereby invites nominations for Directors. Each nomination is to be signed by members of the Company holding in the aggregate not less than Ten percent (10%) of those shares having the right to vote at the Annual General Meeting.

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a) He becomes bankrupt, or;
b) He is found lunatic or becomes of unsound mind.

DATED at the City of Calgary in the Province of Alberta this 14th day of December 1978.

CANADIAN HIDROGAS
RESOURCES LTD.
Per: Larry S. Heald, Secretary

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Peches et Oceans

TENDER

Building Cleaning Services for Institute of Ocean Sciences at 9860 West Saanich Rd., Sidney, B.C.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to Mr. R. W. Crouch, Head, Purchasing and Materiel Management, 9860 West Saanich Road, Sidney, B.C., will be received up to eleven o'clock a.m. local time, Thursday, January 11, 1979. All those wishing to tender must complete a Site Inspection Certificate. Site inspection will take place at 10.00 a.m., January 3, 1979.

Specifications may be obtained at Institute of Ocean Sciences, Room 3616 on deposit of a $50.00 certified cheque, payable to Receiver General of Canada, which will be held pending receipt of tenders.

Tenders will have their deposit cheques returned on receipt of specifications in good condition.

APPLICATION FOR A WATER LICENCE

WATER ACT
(Section 8)

Ronald Waddell of 336 2nd Ave. West, Prince Rupert, B.C. hereby apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for a licence to divert and use water out of Averill Creek which flows northeast and discharges into Somenos Lake and give notice of my aplication to all persons affected.

The point of diversion will be located Lot 9, 400 feet west of Hall Road.

The quantity of water to be diverted is 15 acre feet per annum.

The purpose for which the water will be used is irrigation and storage.

The land on which the water will be used is Lot 9 of Section 10, Range 4 and 5, Somenos District, Plan 2196.

A copy of this application was posted on the 19th day of August, 1977 at the proposed point of diversion and on the land where the water is to be used and two copies were filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Victoria, B.C.

Objections to this application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Legislative Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within THIRTY days of the date of first publication of the application.

The date of first publication is Dec. 21, 1978.

R. WADDELL

Public Works Canada — Travaux publics Canada

INVITATION TO TENDER

SEALED TENDERS for the projects or services listed below, addressed to the Head, Tenders and Contracts, Pacific Region, Department of Public Works, Canada, 1110 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, B.C., V6E 3W5 will be received until the specified closing time and date. Tender documents can be obtained through the above noted Department of Public Works, Vancouver office on payment of the applicable deposit.

PROJECT

PR 010214 — Sewer Extension, Esquimalt Graving Dock, Esquimalt, B.C.

Tenders may also be seen at the Amalgamated Constrn. Assn., Vancouver; Construction Plan Service, Burnaby; Construction Association offices in Nanaimo and Victoria.

Closing Date: 11:00 A.M. PST — January 16, 1979.
Deposit: $50.00.

BID DEPOSITORY: Sub-contractors for electrical and mechanical trades shall submit their tender through the Victoria bid Depository, 1075 Alston Street, Victoria, B.C. V9A 3S6, not later than 3:00 P.M. PST, Friday, January 12, 1979, in accordance with the "Standard bid Depository Principles and Procedures for Federal Government Projects", second edition, April 1st, 1970.

INSTRUCTIONS

Deposit for plans and specifications must be made in the form of a CERTIFIED BANK CHEQUE to the order of the Receiver General for Canada, and will be released on return of the documents in good condition within one month from the date of tender opening.

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Strange bedfellows

Margaret Trudeau is shown in a scene from her latest movie, *The Guardian Angel*, with French actor Francis Lemaire. The estranged wife of the prime minister plays the spouse of a wealthy industrialist. She is eventually seduced by a detective played by Lemaire. The movie premieres in Montreal today. —CP

Eastern mayor firm: Workfare for welfare

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—It started out as another one of those campaign promises.

"I'll put welfare recipients to work," Al Gleeson said.

Now Gleeson, who was elected London's mayor in last month's municipal elections, finds that promise has made him the focus of a controversy that may find its way into towns and cities across Canada.

His promise is a scheme in the works called Workfare.

He believes the proposal was popular enough to bring about his victory over Jane Bigelow, London's first woman mayor who had headed this city of 250,000 since 1972.

"I campaigned on the issue and I've come into office with that kind of community support you need for a program like this," says Gleeson, 54. "I know what some people say, but it's not an evil concept."

What some people say is that requiring welfare recipients to put in a certain number of hours of community work is unfair, dehumanizing, unproductive and costly.

Gleeson says that asking for something in return for a monthly government cheque is reasonable, progressive—for both the individual and the city—and a way to show those on welfare that the working life is not so bad after all.

"I don't understand that (criticism)," he says. "Some people make it seem like there are going to be work gangs going out, like we're going to be putting numbers on their backs. It's just not so."

What Gleeson campaigned on and stressed in his inaugural address Dec. 4 was the belief that any able-bodied person receiving welfare assistance should be required by law to assist in community projects.

He, along with the Ontario's Correctional Services Minister Gordon Walker (MP for London South), believe these jobs could include doing general labor for the elderly, shovelling snow, cleaning up river banks, or any other work that is either ignored or left to the whims of city volunteers.

Love-torn 'in perfect days'

Sophia recalls steamy triangle

NEW YORK (UPI)—Cary Grant pursued Sophia Loren through a passionate love affair in 1957 in which he begged her to marry him, the Italian actress disclosed Wednesday with publication of her life story.

Miss Loren, in the first instalment of her autobiography in the current issue of *McCall's* magazine, said she was torn between "those perfect days" with Grant and her love for Italian producer Carlo Ponti, whom she was living with at the time.

Loren . . .tells all

Grant . . .wanted her

Ponti . . .won her

The actress and Grant met when they co-starred in Miss Loren's first American film, *The Pride and the Passion*.

"With every passing day, he said he was more sure that we belonged together, that finally he had found in me someone to whom he could totally relate . . . to whom he could commit himself and to hell with being vulnerable," Miss Loren said.

But the actress, then 22, said she was waiting for Ponti, who was still married, to finally propose "and give up his wife and children for me.

"I did not want to to be an undeclared mistress or any kind of mistress . . . and here was Cary Grant, ready to renounce everything for me," Miss Loren wrote.

The Loren-Grant love affair finally drove Ponti to propose, she said. "Carlo knew Cary was still in my thoughts. Instinctively I knew that Cary's fervid interest brought pressure to bear on Carlo . . ."

In her autobiography, the woman who was to become one of the world's superstars describes her squalid, illegitimate early life in war-ravaged Italy, and how she used her first pay cheque as an actress to buy her sister, Maria, a name from her natural father.

"My father had refused to give my mother anything for my support . . . he had a proposition . . . he would sell his name to Maria for the one million lire he had found out I had been paid. I didn't hesitate."

Miss Loren said when she first started in films, cameramen complained that her nose was too long, "and I was too hippy." She refused to have her nose fixed or lose weight, telling them, "I want to be myself just as I am. I won't change anything."

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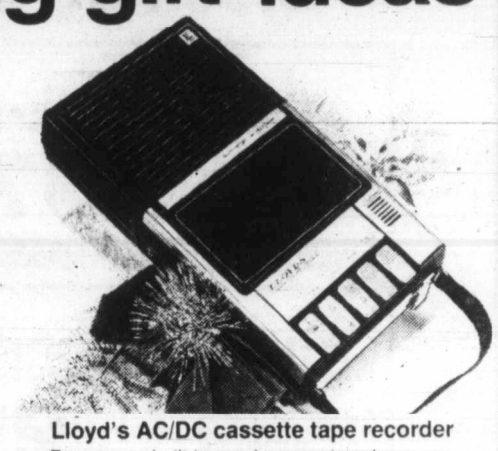

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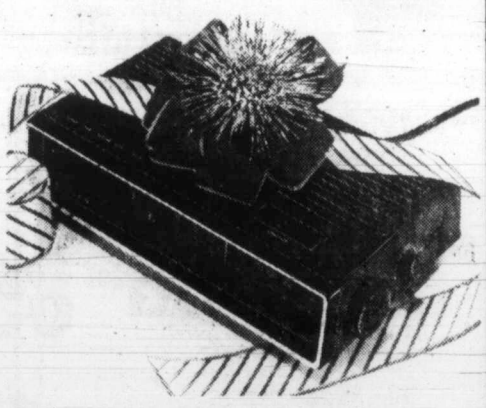

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Cricket ball hijack over

NEW DELHI (AP) — Two hijackers armed with a toy pistol and a cricket ball who demanded the release from jail of former prime minister Indira Gandhi surrendered today, freeing 125 passengers and six crew members of an Indian jetliner unharmed.

The hijacking was the most spectacular happening during a day of nationwide protests Wednesday against the jailing of Mrs. Gandhi and her ouster from her seat in Parliament. The United News of India, the Indian news agency, reported 18,000 supporters of Mrs. Gandhi arrested, many voluntarily, and five persons killed.

UNI said police fired into stone-throwing mobs in the southern city of Bangalore, killing four persons. A pro-Gandhi demonstrator was reported fatally stabbed by a government supporter near Cannonore, in Kerala state, on the southwest coast.

The two hijackers, identified as members of the youth wing of Mrs. Gandhi's Indira Congress party, were flown to Lucknow, the capital of Uttar Pradesh state, to appear at a news conference they demanded. They were accompanied by the chief minister of the state, R. N. Yadav, who negotiated their surrender more than 12 hours after they commandeered the Indian Airlines Boeing 737 jet.

Although the government met their demand for a news conference, it did not free Mrs. Gandhi.

"I don't think any government worth its salt would compromise on a crime like this," said Industry Minister George Fernandes.

The pair appeared to be armed with a pistol and a hand grenade when they took over the airliner and demanded the "unconditional release" of the former prime minister, jailed Tuesday by a vote of Parliament, an airline spokesman said. UNI said the men broke open the door of the cockpit soon after takeoff, distributed pro-Gandhi pamphlets to the passengers and shouted "Long live Indira Gandhi!"

They ordered the plane—on a flight from Lucknow to New Delhi—to land at Varanasi, also known as Benares, 608 kilometres southeast of New Delhi. The spokesman said one of 126 passengers escaped through a rear exit soon after the plane landed.

Yadav, the top elected official in Uttar Pradesh state, negotiated with the hijackers by radio from the airport control tower and was in touch with Prime Minister Morarji Desai by telephone.

The two men wanted to speak with Desai, who led the move to have Mrs. Gandhi expelled from her seat in Parliament and jailed, an airline spokesman said.

After the hijackers were surrendered, it was discovered that their pistol was a toy and their grenade a cricket ball.

BENNETT SEES SMOOTH SAILING

Premier Bennett Wednesday said he expected B.C. ferry fares to remain steady in 1979.

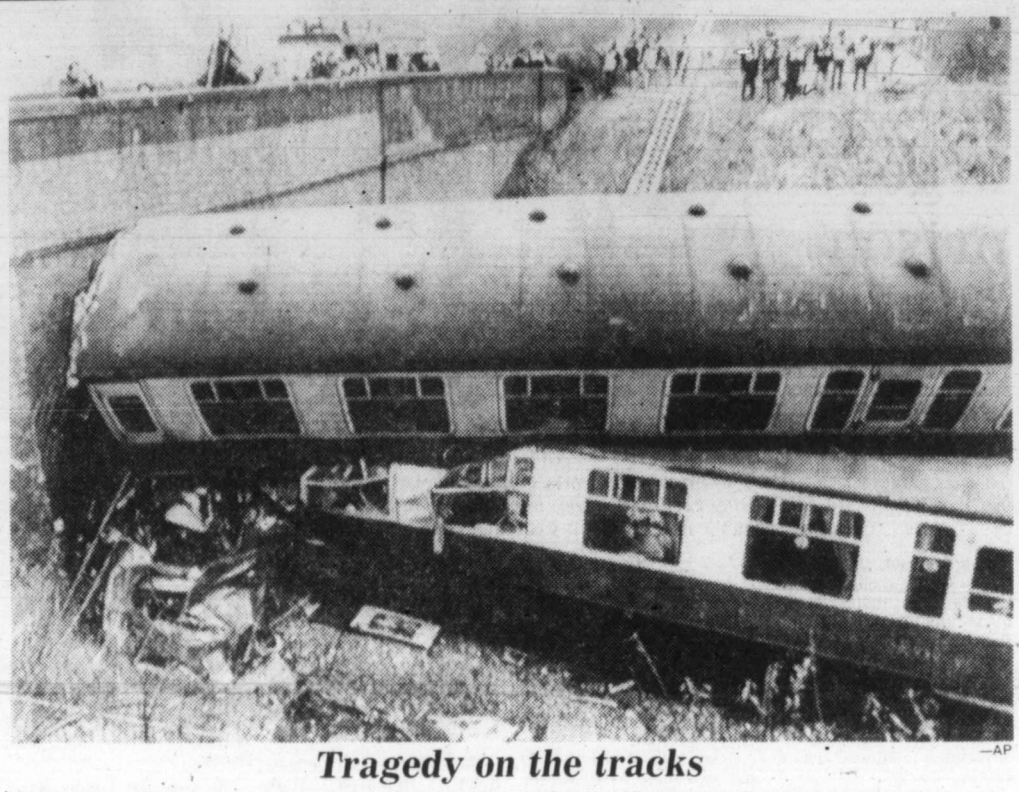
During a year-end interview he was asked if ferry users could look forward to a price increase during the next 12 months.

"The directors won't need an increase," he said. "The very large subsidy they now receive has a cost-price escalator automatic every year. If they manage the system efficiently they have lots of money from the government."

On the future of ICBC, Bennett said the government insurance corporation would continue to hold a monopoly in B.C. He agreed that private companies might again compete with the government firm "some time in the future" but that was not being seriously considered at present.

"Our immediate concern is that ICBC establish the way we can bring equity for all people purchasing insurance," he said. At present there are different rates geared to age, marital status and sex.

"We want to bring equity to those groups," he said. "We never set out to destroy ICBC, just to clean up the mess, make it work."



—AP

Tragedy on the tracks

A living nightmare, one railway coach lies atop another Wednesday following crash at Patcham, near Brighton, England, killing at least three persons and injuring 40. One of the trains was stopped, and officials said other train might have failed to stop due to signal malfunction. In similar crash, a Belfast-Dublin express train slammed into back of a train, killing driver and injuring seven others.

Air fare boosts put off

OTTAWA (CP) — Air fare increases scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1, by the two major airlines and five regional carriers were suspended Wednesday until April 1 by the Canadian transport commission.

Air Canada, CP Air, Transair, Nordair, Pacific Western Airlines, Quebecair and Eastern Provincial Airlines earlier had approval for increases in fares averaging five per cent starting in the new year.

The commission said recent developments, including the suspension of an increase in oil prices and the November budget of Finance Minister Jean Chretien, must be taken into account to determine whether the proposed increases were reasonable and fair.

The Chretien budget made changes in the sales tax and investment tax credits affecting the airlines.

The commission said it wanted to see final operating figures of the airlines for the last few months of this year and their forecasts for next year, taking into account the new developments.

Earlier in the day, the Consumers Association of Canada issued a news release saying the financial picture of the two main carriers showed the increases were not necessary.

The group also said Air Canada and CP Air charged more for domestic mileage than they did for international routes.

London gets the jitters for Christmas

LONDON (CP) — This Christmas season, London is a city with the jitters.

In addition to contending with the usual seasonal upsurge in crime, Scotland Yard has drafted an extra 2,000 uniformed policemen into the West End to prevent bomb attacks on major stores crowded with shoppers.

The police are drawn from all over London and are working a 12-hour day with all leaves cancelled.

"Crime prevention officers throughout London are visiting all stores to discuss preventative security measures with security staff and to advise on evacuation procedures in the event of bomb alerts," a Scotland Yard spokesman said.

The move, code-named Operation Santa, has been prompted not only by the recent wave of bombings in Britain and by an Irish Republican Army threat of further violence, but also by intelligence from security services.

"A large area of central London will be ringed with police briefed to stop suspects entering or leaving the vulnerable areas," a Scotland Yard statement said.

The operation, mainly by uniformed police, will be backed up by armed mobile patrols at night.

Two car-bombs have exploded in London this week without casualties and police are hunting for a third vehicle, believed driven by a terrorist nicknamed Bald Eagle.

Late Tuesday night the

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Terror bombs strike hotels

BELFAST (Reuter) — Irish republican terrorists Wednesday night carried out a bomb blitz on leading Northern Ireland hotels.

Two hotels blazed after the attacks and blasts caused damage at two others. At yet another two hotels, British army bomb disposal squads worked on packages planted there by armed and masked men.

Police said casualties were only four persons slightly wounded and a fireman injured but they warned hotel managers that more blasts can be expected.

The police, who said more hotel bombings could be expected, blamed the attacks on the militant Provisional wing of the IRA, which launched bomb attacks earlier in the week in London and other British cities.

Farms outlook: A race for food

B.C. has enough agricultural land to be completely self-sufficient if all such land were brought under cultivation.

But the report of the Select Standing Committee on Agriculture dealing with land productivity states that by 1996 "this capacity will be eroded by increasing population levels to the extent that within 20 years, barring a dramatic increase in productivity levels, the province will not be able to meet all of its food requirements with home production."

The report, made public Wednesday, is a companion document to an earlier report dealing with unused agricultural land.

Highly technical in nature, the latest report basically states that while B.C. could, if the need arose, produce all the foodstuffs it needs right now, it would need a super effort to bring all land into use and 20 years from now there wouldn't be enough land to satisfy all provincial needs anyway.

"Presently cultivated land, estimated to be 600,000 hectares, (1.8 million acres) currently averages 40 to 45 per cent of the total consumption levels of food crops and livestock products that can be produced in the province," the report states.

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Blanshard blackout

Some Blanshard Court residents settled in for a dark, cold night and motorists crept cautiously through blackened intersections Wednesday as an underground power failure had a checkerboard effect on a three-block midtown area.

At least two minor traffic accidents were recorded after the traffic lights failed at 4:15 p.m. at Blanshard and Hillside, Blanshard and Bay, and Bay and Government.

They were still out nearly eight hours later at Hillside and Blanshard. Two special three-man underground crews from B.C. Hydro, guided by three supervisors, combed the intricate network beneath the streets well into the night in search of the main trouble source.

Meanwhile, residents of the northern part of the housing development, which is heated electrically, put aside uncooked dinners, substituted sandwiches and prepared for a chilly night.

"It's getting quite cold, but no complaints," said Shirley Douglyn. "We had a cold supper of sandwiches, but the kids like that better than vegetables, anyway."

Another tenant, Scott Parrish, sat wrapped in a coat waiting for the power to come on "so I can watch the Johnny Carson Show."

—Colonist photo by Alex Barta

Smiles of anticipation

Christmas for almost everyone is a time of anticipation, and for the young most of all. Jason Lee, 20 months, makes a final check of the goodies provided by Santa's helpers in a toy store in Mayfair shopping mall. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lee, 1230 Enid in Central Saanich.

Israeli air raids deplored by U.S.

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WASHINGTON (Reuter) — The United States criticized Israel's air raids against Palestinian targets in Lebanon on Wednesday.

The state department acknowledged the Israeli explanation that the raids were in rataliation for Palestinian guerrilla attacks against Israeli civilians but spokesman Tom Reston said the U.S. deplored both the guerrilla raids and the Israeli retaliation.

"Over the past few months, we have deplored repeatedly terrorist acts inside Israel, the most recent being the bus bombing last Sunday in Jerusalem," he said in a statement.

"Now there is this report of the Israeli bombing raids in Lebanon, which I understand are related by the Israelis to the terrorist incidents inside Israel. We deplore this escalating spiral of violence. It inflicts suffering on innocent victims and it hurts the cause of peace in the Middle East."

BREZHNEV FIRST

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. President Carter hopes to meet Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev around Jan. 15, about two weeks before China's deputy premier comes to Washington, national security adviser Zbigniew Brzezinski said Wednesday.

Brezhnev has consistently made it clear he would attend his first summit with Carter only if a strategic arms limitation agreement was ready for the two leaders to sign.

State Secretary Cyrus Vance planned to continue the S.A.L.T. II talks in Geneva today with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko but there were increasing doubts they would be able to wrap up the complicated negotiations for limiting the nuclear arsenals of the superpowers.

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Sharing warm hearts

Imagine the laughter of a child at the sight of a longed-for toy.

Imagine the tears in a mother's eyes at the child's reaction.

Imagine the restoration of faith in human kindness.

Imagine.

True, it may be difficult to imagine that this city harbors people with such need. But it does. In our midst, there is sorrow, poverty, loneliness.

It's easily recognizable.

You'll see human suffering in the supermarket. While most shoppers are loading up their carts with mountains of groceries, there are always a few elderly persons with an item or two at the bottom of the cart.

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They will look at a roast, but put it back when they see the price. They won't even look at turkeys this year.

They've seen better times, but inflation has eroded their once adequate pensions and plowed them under the minimum existence level.

And all the tinsel and advertising for outlandishly expensive presents, all the wild buying sprees won't change the fact that some people are facing a bleak Christmas. Right here in our community.

We can't banish poverty by waving a magic wand, but we can bring a little warmth into the hearts of many by sharing just a little.

For 22 years now, the *Colonist* 500 Fund has helped bring cheer to the most needy families in Victoria. Contributions to this year's fund drive will be accepted until 12 noon today. Donations received after that deadline will be carried over to next year's drive.

As of Tuesday, the fund had passed the $50,000 mark, but the organizers hope to make $60,000 so each recipient would get a cheque for about $120.

Donations may be brought to the *Colonist* office at 2621 Douglas until noon today.

U.S. loses track of its glitter

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. treasury department said Wednesday that 5,200 ounces of gold—valued at $1.1 million—was missing from its New York City assay office, the second time in history the United States has lost track of some its gold stockpile.

The gold probably disappeared between 1973 and 1977, although faulty management and accounting procedures made it impossible to determine exactly when the gold losses began, a treasury spokesman said.

Officials said the only other instance of U.S.-owned gold being lost came in 1955 at the Denver Mint.

That loss involved 1,800 ounces and was traced to an elderly employee who "apparently gave it away, just like Santa Claus," an official said. He was never prosecuted and none of the gold was recovered.